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RED CROSS PLANS BOYS' AND GIRLS' HEALTH CRUSADE

Credits Allowed for Health Chores Makes Practical Appeal to Young People While Forming Habits Which Keep Them Well—Effort to Get Cooperation of Schools.

The "Modern Health Crusade" is being recommended by the Junior Red Cross as a system of health education which makes a practical appeal to the child. An effort is being made to get this work taken up in every school in the country.

The Crusade supplies the child with a motive for patient work in acquiring good health habits when the truths of physiology do not call the child to action. It gives boys and girls something to do and honors to earn with visible rewards. It grips their interest until health practices become habitual.

"Every child in our county should have a health chore folder, and before going to bed at night record the number of health chores he has done during the day," says Miss Lillian Newton, in charge of Junior Red Cross activities.

The following are the rules found on these folders:

"1. I washed my hands before each meal today.

"2. I washed, not only my face, but my neck and ears and I cleaned my finger nails today.

"3. I tried to keep my fingers, pencils and everything that might be unclean out of my mouth and nose.

Clean Inside, Too.

"4. I drank a glass of water before each meal and before going to bed, and drank no tea, coffee, nor other injurious drinks today.

"5. I brushed my teeth thoroughly in the morning and in the evening today.

"6. I took ten or more slow deep breaths of fresh air today.

"7. I played out doors or with windows open more than thirty minutes today.

"8. I was in bed ten hours or more last night and kept my windows open. (Boys and girls thirteen years may change this to nine hours.)

"9. I tried today to sit up and stand up straight, to eat slowly, and to attend to toilet and each need of my body at its regular time.

"10. I tried today to keep neat and cheerful constantly and to be helpful to others.

"11. I took a full bath on each day of the week that is checked (x)."

"Every evening before bed-time the mother can check off for the child each of the eleven chores that he has done that day. Seventy-two chores done in one week makes a perfect record. This requires each of the first ten chores to be done daily and a full bath taken on each of two days.

Modern Health Crusaders.

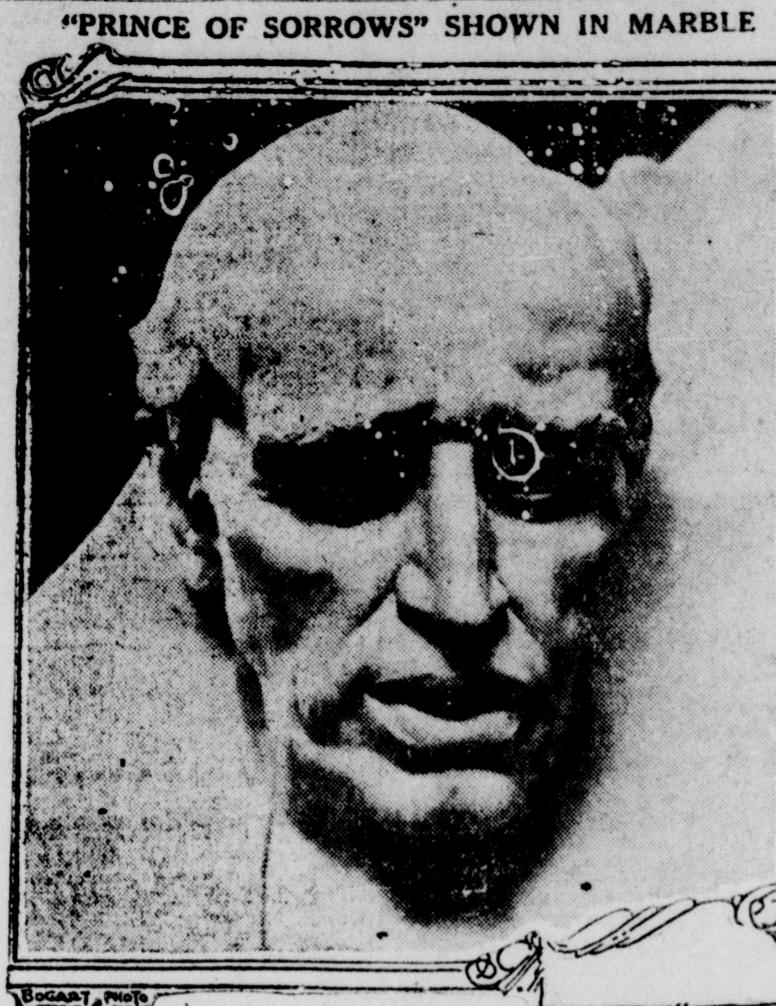
To become a "Modern Health Crusader" and receive a certificate of enrollment and the title of "Page in Health Knighthood" one must do at least fifty-four chores, 75 per cent of the seventy-two in each of two weeks. To rise to higher ranks and be entitled to the different pins or certificates one must do at least fifty-four chores each week for the following number of weeks:

"For 'Squire,' three weeks after becoming "Page," a total of five weeks. For "Knight," five weeks after becoming "Squire," a total of ten weeks. For "Knight Barronet," five weeks after becoming "Knight" a total of fifteen weeks.

"When the child has done enough chores for a title, he carries this record folder properly checked up and signed by himself and one of his parents (or guardian) to his teacher for her to approve and sign. She must be satisfied by his cleanliness from day to day and by other signs that he is doing the chores thoroughly before he has the right to the title and certificate or pin.

"Red Cross Chapter School Committees are authorized to use their funds for the purchase of health chore folders, certificates, pins and all the official Crusade material.

"I earnestly hope that every teacher in the county will co-operate with the Junior Red Cross committee in this modern health crusade work."



"PRINCE OF SORROWS" SHOWN IN MARBLE

Cardinal Mercier, the "Prince of Sorrows," will arrive in the United States this month to bring personally to the American people the heartfelt thanks of all Belgium for what America did for Belgium during the war. The above reproduction of the face of Cardinal Mercier was conceived in marble by Ornorio Ruotolo, widely known New York sculptor.

TO CLASS COTTON FROM FOARD HERE

MAY STORE COTTON IN LOCAL COMPRESS

COTTELL COUNTY FARMERS MAY ALSO BRING STAPLE TO VERNON FOR CLASSING.

N. B. HODGE TAKING UP QUESTION WITH OFFICIALS IN FORT WORTH.

County Agent N. R. Tisdal and S. H. Johnson, Government cotton calsser, went to Crowell Wednesday and made final arrangements for the classing of Foard county cotton in Vernon. County Agent P. D. Cheney of Crowell was in Vernon Tuesday in the interest of such a plan.

W. O. Logan, county agent of Cottle county, was in Vernon Thursday to see about sending cotton from his county to be classed here. While a great deal of the cotton will be classed on sample, and will perhaps be sold at points in the county where it is produced, many farmers will bring their bales to Vernon and sell here, as they will perhaps figure that with the classifier here the market will be better. This, of course, will mean more business for Vernon.

The committee in charge decided Tuesday to charge 30¢ a bale for classing cotton, where the sample is left with the classifier. Where the sample is returned, the charge will be 50 cents a bale. All samples sent by mail must be prepaid.

Mr. Johnson calls attention to the fact that it will be a great disadvantage to farmers to gather, rather than pick, their cotton. The farmers in this country have gotten into a habit of getting bolls and all when, with a little more trouble and time, the staple could be picked. This not only results in a loss of from \$15 to \$25 a bale to the farmer. Mr. Johnson said, but has done more than anything else to lower the standard of the local market. With the classing system established it will be more than worth while for the farmers to produce as good a sample as possible, Mr. Johnson maintains.

Mr. Johnson has offices on the second floor of the Oil Exchange building at the west end.

HOG MEN MEET SATURDAY.

Association Will Discuss Changes in Constitution to Be Proposed at State Fair.

The members of the Wilbarger County Swinebreeders' Association have been called to meet at the office of County Agent N. R. Tisdal at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Mr. Tisdal, who is president of the Association, urges that all members be present.

The principal matter to be taken up at Saturday's meeting is some changes in the constitution of the State Association, with which the local organization is affiliated. The changes have special reference to the provisions concerning membership and fees. The State organization will discuss the amendments at the State Fair on October 11.

Tolbert School Opens October 27.

Tolbert school will start October 27, according to J. H. Freidiger, a trustee, who was in Vernon yesterday. The trustees planned to start school the first Monday in October, but because of press of farm work decided to postpone the opening until the last Monday. Mr. Freidiger is just getting his wheat threshed, and says it is costing him \$1 a bushel. He lives in the section devastated by hail early in June.

Dixie Wheeler Moves to Vernon.

Dixie Wheeler, who for many years has made his home on his farm south of Harrold, has moved to the H. Hunt place in West Vernon, recently acquired by him.

5 ARE HURT WHEN BACKING FREIGHT HITS AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. M. D. Tate and Son, and Mrs. Jamie Tims of Odell Sustained Severe Bruises and Broken Bones at Denver Crossing Yesterday Afternoon—Maxwell Carried 150 Yards.

Three persons were severely injured and two others bruised as a result of an accident which occurred about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a Maxwell car driven by J. W. Tate of Odell was struck by a freight train at the Denver crossing on North Main street. The train was backing when the accident occurred.

Mr. Tate escaped uninjured, but his mother, Mrs. M. D. Tate, suffered severe bruises about the right hip. Her son, Marvin Tate, sustained two broken ribs and was otherwise seriously bruised. Mrs. Jamie Tims sustained severe bruises on her right side. A Mr. Johnson, who lives near Odell, escaped with slight bruises.

The injured parties received medical attention in Vernon and were removed to the home of Mrs. Tim's sister, Mrs. P. B. Barrett, who lives north of Paris river. Reports this morning say they are resting well.

The automobile was struck squarely in the center and was carried down the track to the west for about 150 yards. The train was backing from the east and the occupants of the car claim they did not see it approaching. One of the wheels on the automobile was broken. Otherwise the machine was damaged but little.

HAS NEW MANAGER.

G. Keith of Fort Worth Succeeds O. H. Corbett, Who Goes to Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

G. Keith of Fort Worth is new manager in Vernon for F. W. Woolworth. He succeeds O. H. Corbett, who was sent to Bartlesville, Okla.

Mr. Corbett has been manager of the local store since it opened last December, and was loath to leave Vernon.

The settlement of this matter has been pending for some time and Mr. Hodge expects to make final arrangements while he is in Fort Worth. He expects to return today or tomorrow.

The changing of the public weigher to the compress is being sought for the purpose of giving the farmers access to a covered shed in which to store their cotton. Farmers, generally, have learned that the added expense of storing cotton under a shed is amply repaid by the saving to the staple as a result of being protected from the weather.

SAYS CANNOT SERVE 2 MASTERS.

Elder Tom Walker Urges Large Crowd at Church of Christ Not to Compromise.

Citizen Complains of Language Used by Youths and Elders Around City Hall.

SAYS CRAPSHOOTERS ARE BOLD.

BAPTIST LAYMAN GIVES \$100,000.

M. H. Wolfe of Dallas Makes Large Subscription to Help His Church Get Big Fund.

M. H. Wolfe, of Dallas, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee of Texas, a prominent layman and president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, has wired to Dr. L. R. Scarborough, General Director of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, his subscription of \$100,000 to the campaign.

Information Given The Record Is That Both Boys and Grown Men Participate in the Games and Obscene Language.

Old Machine Ready for Operation Soon.

KELL MILL GETS NEW ENGINE.

Manager J. A. Birdsong Hopes to Have Old Machine Ready for Operation Soon.

The new engine for the Kell Milling Company arrived Saturday night and is being installed. The mechanic is of the internal combustion type, known as the Diesel engine. The improvements being made on the local plant will aggregate \$50,000. The milling is being cared for by the Company's mill in Wichita Falls while the local plant is closed down.

Manager J. A. Birdsong believes that the old engine will be repaired in time

to resume operations soon after October 1. The new machine can not be installed within sixty days, he said.

MISS GILBERT TO SHERMAN AS INSTRUCTOR IN CARR-BURDETTE

MISS LENA GILBERT, daughter of W. W. Gilbert of this city, left yesterday for Sherman where she has accepted a position as instructor in the Carr-Burdette College. She will be at the head of the History Department. Miss Gilbert took an A. B. degree from Texas Christian University at Fort Worth last year.

TO WED WORLD'S RICHEST BACHELOR



Society in Newport is talking of little else than the well authenticated report of the early marriage of Robert Goeler, son of the late Ogden Goeler, and known as the "wealthiest bachelor in the world," and Mme. Fernanda Roceil-Riabouchinsky, the famous Italian beauty and formerly wife of Nicholas Riabouchinsky, banker of Moscow. Mme. Riabouchinsky is the daughter of Professor Roceil, formerly dean of the Department of Printing and Design at Perugia University in Italy.

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More's

TODAY—TUESDAY.

MILDRED HARRIS in "HOME."

You are not fit company for her—
If home ties are losing their hold on your boy or girl, let
them see this picture.

WEDNESDAY.

Beatriz Michelena

in
Just Squaw

May Allison

in
"The Uplifters"
Delightful Com-
bination of Hon-
or and Romance

FRIDAY—LILA LEE in "NOBODY HOME."

SATURDAY—RUPERT JULIAN in "THE FIRE FLING-
ERS."MONDAY—ETHEL CLAYTON in "A SPORTING
CHANCE."

THE BEST SHOW ALWAYS AT MORE'S

**At the Theaters**

Pictorial.

In "Putting One Over" George Walsh, as the hero, recovers consciousness after a train wreck to find himself under a new name and taken for the heir to an immense estate. Crooks are working a doddledly original and mysterious game with him. But when George gets next to their machinations—the far certainly flies in typical George Walsh style. The story is intensely dramatic and exciting, and the situations in which he tries to prove his identity are screamingly funny.

Saturday—Tom Moore in "Heartsease." Trying to recover a manuscript which was stolen from him, Tom encounters scoundrels. When the scene opens, he is alone with the two men, but is not expecting them to start a fight. When one makes a sudden lunge at him, he is bowled over, but recovers quickly and dashes at his opponents. He rushes them so swiftly that they in turn are knocked down. The fight runs for several tense minutes, until the unfortunate chap, is thrown against a heavy table leg. Both lose the courage of the youth which comes to the top when needed. Tom Moore is Irish, so why go into more detail?

More's.

Poor Foolish Little Millie Rankin—She thought the greatest treasures in the world were riches and a high social position, and she wanted to marry a rich man. So she anguished for the heart of a man-about-town—who had no visible means of support—because she thought he was rich but he was only using her as a blind to cover his little affair with another woman. "Home," the latest Universal picture featuring Mrs. Charles Chaplin (Mildred Harris) as Millie Rankin will be shown today.

Red-blooded men who love real adventure and red-blooded women who admire courage and honor will be interested to see "Just Squaw," starring the beautiful Beatrice Michelena which will show at More's Wednesday. This is a rapidly moving drama of the far West with a beautiful and emotional star in the role of a white half-breed, a story of a woman's fight against love, a drama in which blood tells.

Returns From Overseas Service.

H. M. Chadwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick, residing north of the river, returned home Saturday, after thirteen months' service with the American Expeditionary Forces in France. Mr. Chadwick was in the Quartermaster's Corps and saw no actual fighting. He left Camp Bowie with the Thirty-sixth Division but was later transferred.

Let Me Move Your House.

I am prepared to move any kind of wooden building and exercise greatest care. My work is guaranteed. Find me at Cameron Lumber Yard. Phone 93.

80-3tp Adv. T. P. ADDISON.

Gandy Building Rent House.

W. E. Gandy has let the contract to H. H. Jones for the construction of a four-room house on his lots on East Pease street. Mr. Gandy will use the property for rental purposes.

**OVER 5 MILLION
DOLLAR BUSINESS
ITS OPENING YEAR**

Wichita Fall's biggest insurance institution, the Wichita Great Western Underwriters, announced Saturday their field of operations to take in several plans to extend their field of operations to take in several new states. The company which is made up of home capital and which has on its advisory board some of the leading men of Texas in financial circles, expects to bring into local bank deposits through their underwriters, hundreds of thousands of dollars in new capital during their new fiscal year.

The Wichita Great Western Underwriters started in business just a year ago and during the first twelve months, secured on their books more than five million dollars insurance, with three million dollars more in hand at the close of the twelve months period. The company writes fire insurance on the reciprocal plan, and were able at the end of the year to refund to their policy holders 52 per cent of the premiums paid. According to Mr. Mabry, who is one of the executive officers of the company, this remarkable result was obtained through the careful selection of preferred risks accepted.

The personnel of the institution is well known to the southwest as leading bankers and business men. John S. Mabry and R. E. Huff are managers and attorneys for the company. J. O. Powers is secretary-treasurer. The advisory board is composed of the following prominent Texans:

D. E. Waggoner, president Security National Bank, Dallas.

R. E. Huff, president First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. A. Kemp, president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. C. Hunt, wholesale grainery, Wichita Falls, Texas.

W. H. Faqua, president First National Bank, Amarillo, Texas.

R. R. Darrah, manager Magnolia Petroleum Company, Fort Worth, Texas.

P. P. Langford, vice president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

C. W. Reid, president National Bank of Commerce, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Chas. C. Huff, general counsel M. K. & T. Railway Company, also general

adviser to the bank.

Clapham Sturr of Illinois is visiting at the home of his uncle, B. H. Lewis.

I have buyers for leases that are worth the money. Phone 98 or see Arlie Berry. Adv. 1tp

Try one sack of White Crest flour and you will never use any other kind. For sale at D. C. Matthew's grocery store on West Texas street. Adv. 70-3tc

J. R. Jones' real estate office phone No. is 617. His office is located in the Ferguson building on the west side of North Main street, fronting east, just one door north of Hahn's dry goods store. If you want to buy, sell or rent real estate, you will find it to your interest to phone or call on him. 55-fee

A Good Chance to Make Some Money. For sale, a good crop, good teams, and good tools. Party selling is in other business. This stuff is worth the money. See me quick. Arlie Berry. Phone 98. Adv. 1tp

Without a fresh shine you can't be dressed up. Palm Shine Shop. 70-2tp

Mrs. W. G. McDonald is visiting relatives in Kansas.

We guarantee our new process shoe dye. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-2tp

Miss Margaret Gilbert was a visitor in Davidson, Okla., Sunday.

A few choice homes listed for sale. Phone 98. Arlie Berry. 1tp

Mrs. W. C. Plunk of Collingsworth county returned to her home Saturday after visiting last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Pain, two and a half miles east of Odell, and other relatives.

Dr. Hines Clark and family of Crowell were in Vernon yesterday, and left last night for Denton, where his daughter, Frances, will enter college. Mrs. Clark is a sister of Mrs. H. W. Norwood of Vernon.

Miss Alma Schroeder of Thalia was in Vernon Saturday, and asked that The Record be sent to her uncle, Paul Schroeder, at Muldoon, Texas. "There is so much happening in Wilbarger county," she said, "that he will have to have The Record to keep up with it."

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hodges spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Frederick, Okla., from which city the latter went to Hammon, Okla., to spend some time visiting relatives. Mr. Hodges returned Sunday night.

Willie Abbott and John Lutz left last night for Austin to enter the University of Texas. Willie is honor graduate of the local high school class of 1919, and John was honor graduate of Kemper Military Academy at Boonville, Mo., last June.

Oscar Holman and Owen Henry left Sunday night for Dallas, where they will enter school. Oscar will be a student in Southern Methodist University, while Owen will matriculate in Powell Training School.

Practically New Ford Truck
This truck was used for a few days only and traded to us on a heavier truck. A bargain if taken at once.

FOR SALE
Works Auto & Supply
Company

LAND TO LEASE
In tracts from 25 acres up. Located near Byars Farm Oil Company well. Denver Railroad runs through the tract.

FLETCHER SISTERS, Owners
Address Route 1, Vernon. Telephone 9007-R-23
70-3tp

Crowell Man Will Move Here.

D. M. Ferebee of Crowell has bought the old J. H. Pendleton home on West Pease street, and will occupy same as a home about October 1. Mr. Ferebee was formerly tax assessor of Foard county. Rogers & Jackson negotiated the transaction. The consideration was \$6,500.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-1fe

Bryan Backus returned Sunday night from a trip through North and South Dakota, Montana, Washington, and other Northwestern States, where he has been at work through the harvest season. He will leave next week for Austin to attend the University of Texas.

**It's Bound to Come
BETTER TIMES****STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
DALLAS OCTOBER 6-19 1919****IT'S GETTING DRY**

(No reference to prohibition.)
Your wheat and oats are liable to burn in the field. I can "KIVER" you in shocks, stacks or granaries, at a very small price. See me.

C. S. McCOLLOCH

We Want Your Patronage

Do Any Kind of Machinist Work.

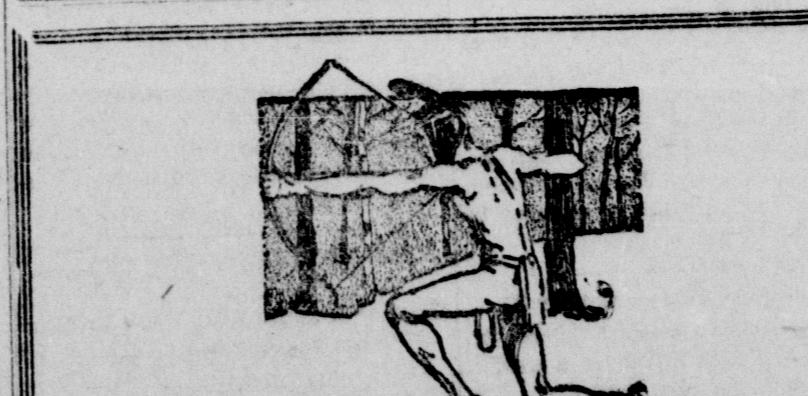
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Fit Over Size Piston Heads, Turn Armatures, True and Turn Crank Shafts.

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List Your Acreage With Us

If it's oil money you want, give us a description of what you have to lease.

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It is our constant desire to render the greatest possible service to this community, and to this end we cordially invite YOUR cooperation.

The Herring National Bank

At the PICTORIUM THEATRE

SHOW OPENS FROM 1 P. M. TO 11:30 P. M.

TUESDAY.

THEDA BARA in "Under Two Flags."

and 3rd episode of "The Great Gamble."

WEDNESDAY.

TOM MOORE in "HEARTSEASE"

and Fox Sunshine Comedy.

THURSDAY.

"PUTTING ONE OVER"

featuring

GEORGE WALSH

in a double part, and Keystone Comedy.

FRIDAY—NORMA TALMADGE in "THE WAY OF A WOMAN."

SATURDAY—BESSIE LOVE in "CUPID FORECLOSES."

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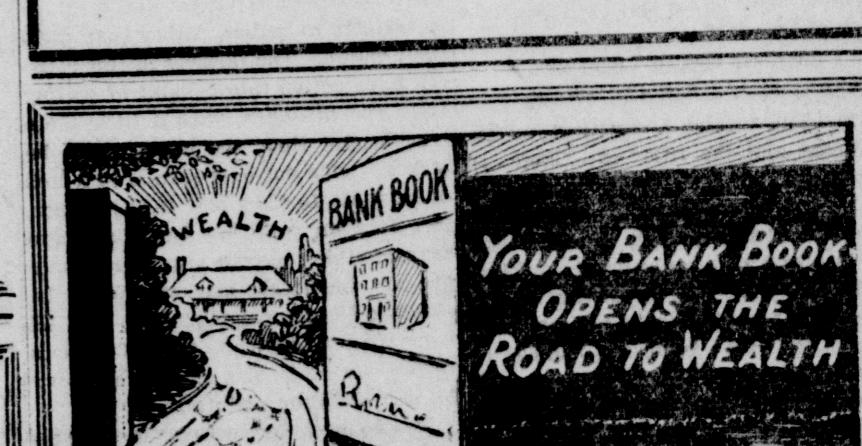
We buy only No. 1 Heavy Leather.

Expert Work.

Saddles Made to Order

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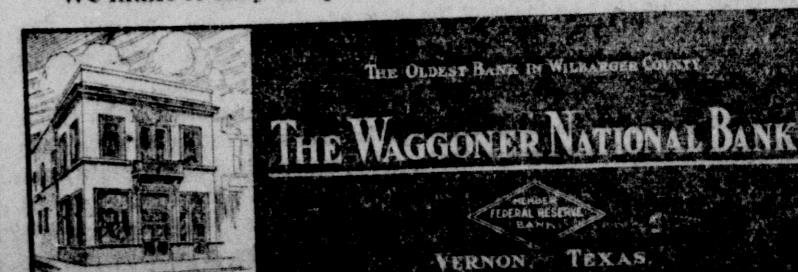
You can get what you want at your store.



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There is a sure, safe and honorable way open to everyone—it is the savings account route.

The feeling of security, of consequence and happiness that a bank account brings is worth many times the financial sacrifice required to make the start.

We make it easy to open an account at this bank. Ask us.



TO HEAR PROPERTY OWNERS OCTOBER 6

PAVING WILL BEGIN AS SOON AS LAW IS COMPLIED WITH. CON-TRACTOR SAYS.

The City Commission has set October 6 as the date when the owners of property abutting on West Paradise and East Wilbarger will be given a hearing before the levy of a tax against said property for the purpose of paying the expense of paving these streets. The session will continue after October 6, from day to day, until all of the property owners or their attorneys will have an opportunity to have their case heard.

Material for the paving is arriving daily. So far, however, no shipments of rock have been received. Contractor H. K. McCollum believes that sufficient material will be on hand to start work immediately after the disposition of the hearing by the property owners. Actual work can not be started until after the law has been complied with in that respect.

White City News.

White City, Sept. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—A revival meeting began Sunday at the White City Baptist Church. Rev. Frank McNair of Tolbert is assisting Rev. W. W. Adams. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Odell Baptist revival closed Friday night. Rev. Wynn returned to his home in Dallas Saturday. There were two candidates for baptism, which took place Sunday evening by the pastor, W. W. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. J. Dunson returned Tuesday, after a week's visit with his brother near Whitesboro.

Albert Gaunt arrived last week, having been honorably discharged from the army. He saw service in France and Germany.

Mrs. Calvin Craig of Vernon is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ward.

Lee Coffey and Miss Lydia Floyd drove to Vernon Sunday and were quietly married. Lee is the youngest son of Mrs. M. A. Coffey of this community, while Miss Floyd is eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Floyd of this place. The writer joins a large number of friends in congratulations and best wishes for the young couple.

Rev. W. H. Wynn of Dallas and Miss Faye Wynn of Odell visited Rev. W. W. Adams and family Wednesday.

PRESBYTERY OPENS TODAY.

Representatives of Presbyterian Churches From All Over Panhandle in Vernon for Meeting.

Pastors and representatives of Presbyterian Churches from all over the Panhandle are in Vernon attending the Amarillo Presbytery which will be in session at the local Presbyterian Church today and tomorrow. The last session was held in Plainview last spring at which time Vernon was selected as the next meeting place.

The pastor, Rev. Gaines B. Hall, and S. Sewell are representing the local congregation.

For Sale.

Oil leases of 1,500 acres, solid body. Oil leases near locations, derricks now up; have lease of various sizes in all parts of county. 10,000 acre improved ranch, all tillable, at \$16.00 per acre; 5,000 acres well improved and watered land, all tillable but 500 acres. Price \$16.00. See J. E. Lutz. 46-1f

Sermon Themes.

Rev. Henry F. Brooks will preach on the following themes this week:

Next Saturday afternoon on the streets of Vernon, 4 o'clock, subjects "Bolshevism."

Next Sunday—11:00 a. m., "Going into the Temple." 8:30 p. m., "Looking Toward Jerusalem." Adv. 1c

Forty-Two Club With Mrs. Sherman.

The members of the Tuesday Forty-Two Club were guests at the home of Mrs. J. G. Sherman Thursday afternoon. Five tables were laid. Delicious refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

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E. H. HEATH,

66-8c Phones: Day, 502; Night, 496.

J. R. Jones' real estate office is on North Main street in Ferguson building. 42-1f

Otis Key left yesterday for Sherman, where he will attend the high school during this session.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gilliland returned Friday to their home in Wichita Falls, after a several days' visit in Vernon with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Blair. Masters Robert, Charles and Paul Blair returned to spend several days visiting in Wichita Falls. Adv. 29-1f

Thalia News.

Thalia, Sept. 12.—(By special correspondence.)—The Thalia school opened Monday morning with a good attendance.

Rev. Pierson and family of this place took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Crisp and family near Rayland Sunday.

Miss Letha Haney, who underwent an operation ten days ago, is slowly improving.

Ewald, Alma and Emma Schroeder and Veda and Linnie Cribs, took dinner with the Misses Crisp Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Bradford and children of Swearingen, who have been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford, went to Foard City Saturday to visit friends. They returned Monday for a few days' visit here, after which they will return to their home at Swearingen.

Edd Johnson returned to Austin Sunday after a few days' visit with his parents, Luke Johnson, and family.

George Condon and family and Luther Gee and wife came in from Oklahoma Thursday and spent the night at W.W. Johnson's. They will pick cotton in this community this fall.

Ben Bradford and family and Miss Flora Bradford accompanied Mrs. Albert Bradford to her home at Swearingen. They will visit there a few days before returning home.

Will Johnson and family spent Sunday with J. K. French and family.

Mrs. M. E. Porter, who has been staying with her son, Lloyd, for the past month, left Thursday for Electra, where she will visit her son, T. J. Porter.

Joe Confal left Saturday for New Mexico where he will spend a few weeks.

Miss Edna Shaw left Sunday for Denton where she will enter the C. I. A.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Flemming again Thursday evening at 2:30 o'clock and took from their midst their little two and one-half month's old daughter Edna. It was hard to part with her but we all knew she went to the home above to meet her little twin brother who parted with this world two months ago. Rev. Pierson conducted the funeral service at the Thalia cemetery, after which her little body was laid to rest at 11 o'clock Friday. This community joins in sympathy for the grief stricken parents, brothers and sisters.

Jim Cates and Miss Dossie More were quietly married at Crowell Wednesday night. They will reside with the groom's parents. This community joins in wishing them a long and happy married life.

J. A. Abston and family left Friday for Wellington where they will visit with relatives until Sunday.

Arthur Phillips and family went to Wellington Friday. They returned Sunday.

S. P. Keney is here from Knob City transacting business.

J. G. Thompson has recently purchased an Avery tractor, with which to do his plowing. A. L. Dunnigan came out from Crowell Monday and put it in condition for work.

Walter Bannister and family were out on their farm Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols visited with Jim Simmons and family Sunday in the Black community. Mr. Simmons lives on Mr. Nichols' farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Haney and Mrs. Gregory of Vernon visited with the former's parents, Modo Haney and family Wednesday.

Sam and Wallace Scales are building an addition of one room to the Rayland school house. Rayland will have three teachers this year.

Misses Stella and Bessie Tole are studying music under Miss Myrtle Johnson's instructions.

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**THE STATE ROAD BOND
ISSUE.**

The proposed \$75,000,000 state bond issue for good roads ought to be defeated. This may seem surprising to some friends of The Record in view of previous declarations favoring the amendment and our consistent advocacy of road bond issues.

It was generally believed when this amendment was submitted that the automobile license fees would be pledged to pay interest, and provide sinking funds. That this belief was a mistaken one is now apparent. Not only are the license fees not pledged for the purposes mentioned, but the amendment seems to be so drawn that the Legislature will be compelled to levy an ad valorem tax to take care of the bonds.

Taxes have reached a new high level in Texas, and The Record will not advocate the policy of taking the bridle off the Legislature to levy taxes, even for the purpose of road-building. Our law-makers have shown little regard for expenses, and liberal as our views are on the matters of taxation and improvement, we are not willing to give the Legislature any more taxing power than it now enjoys. At least not until that body manifests a keener appreciation of the value of a dollar than has thus far been shown.

The Record's view of the road bond issue amendment is that the interests of the State and the good roads movement will be best served by defeating the present amendment and leaving to a future Legislature the task of submitting a better one.

GERMANY IS DELIGHTED.

It is not surprising that Senator Lodge and other Republicans are pleasing the Germans in their attitude toward the peace treaty. Whether intentionally or not, the Republican Senators are doing the very thing that Germany has been hoping for.

Refusal of the United States to ratify the treaty would be evidence of a division among the Allied powers. This is what Germany has assiduously striven for, but gained no headway until Republicans in the Senate took up the cudgel.

Why shouldn't Germany be pleased? The adoption of the majority report would alienate Japan from her late allies. It would necessitate the negotiation of a separate peace between the United States and Germany.

The time for forcing Germany to make reparation for wrongs done the United States has passed. We would be compelled to make peace on whatever terms Germany would accept. With the Allies divided, Germany would then be in a position to relieve herself from the penalties of her crimes, form an alliance with Japan and escape from her position of isolation.

The Republican Senators may accomplish their purpose of destroying President Wilson, but patriotic citizens will not view the consequences of their victory without serious fears.

HAVE FAITH AND BE REASONABLE.

Cotton went off several points last week. A decline is also announced in the price of cattle and hogs. However, we have not

seen any proclamations that the farmers would strike for higher prices.

Union labor cannot be blamed for wanting its "just share." Undoubtedly conditions in many places should be ameliorated. However, while union labor is insisting upon increases varying from \$15 to \$50 a month, the leaders would do well to ponder the fact that in order to draw more pay permanently these men must produce more—a thing that local unions have frequently discouraged.

It is fiction to believe that legislation, the resolutions of one union or all of them, or any other artificial means can result in higher wages. To get more men must produce more.

This is a good time for union labor, and all others, to remember, too, that some sacrifices are necessary on the part of the individual and upon any class to enjoy these benefits of organized society. We still believe that sober second thought will save us from the excesses which threaten; otherwise we shall pull down about our heads the structure which permits life, liberty, and the pursuit of property.

There never was a better time to have faith and be reasonable.

It is to be hoped that Vernon schools, and those of the county, will find it possible to adopt the "Health Crusade" plan of the Red Cross. Leading educators agree that a study of the human body is vital—and no less so for the highest mental development than it is to prevent a nation of physical weaklings. The Red Cross plan makes a practical appeal to boys and girls, which will keep them at their tasks until health habits are formed. Along with this the study of human physiology would have a value which it never has when taken as a purely perfunctory class-room study. Education fails if it does not give us men and women with cleaner bodies and fixed habits of health.

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Both Sections of Denver Held Up Yesterday by Freight Which Split Switch.

Both sections of the northbound Denver passenger were five hours late yesterday morning as a result of a freight wreck at Oklaunion. The freight, in attempting to make a switch Sunday night, apparently split the switch, resulting in the derailment of several of the cars.

No one was injured. The track was cleared and traffic resumed about 11 o'clock.

Ballew Appointed Night Watchman.

The City Commission met in call session Monday morning and appointed Irvin Ballew as night watchman to succeed Bob Wright, resigned. Mr. Wright was appointed to succeed Mr. Ballew when he resigned several weeks ago.

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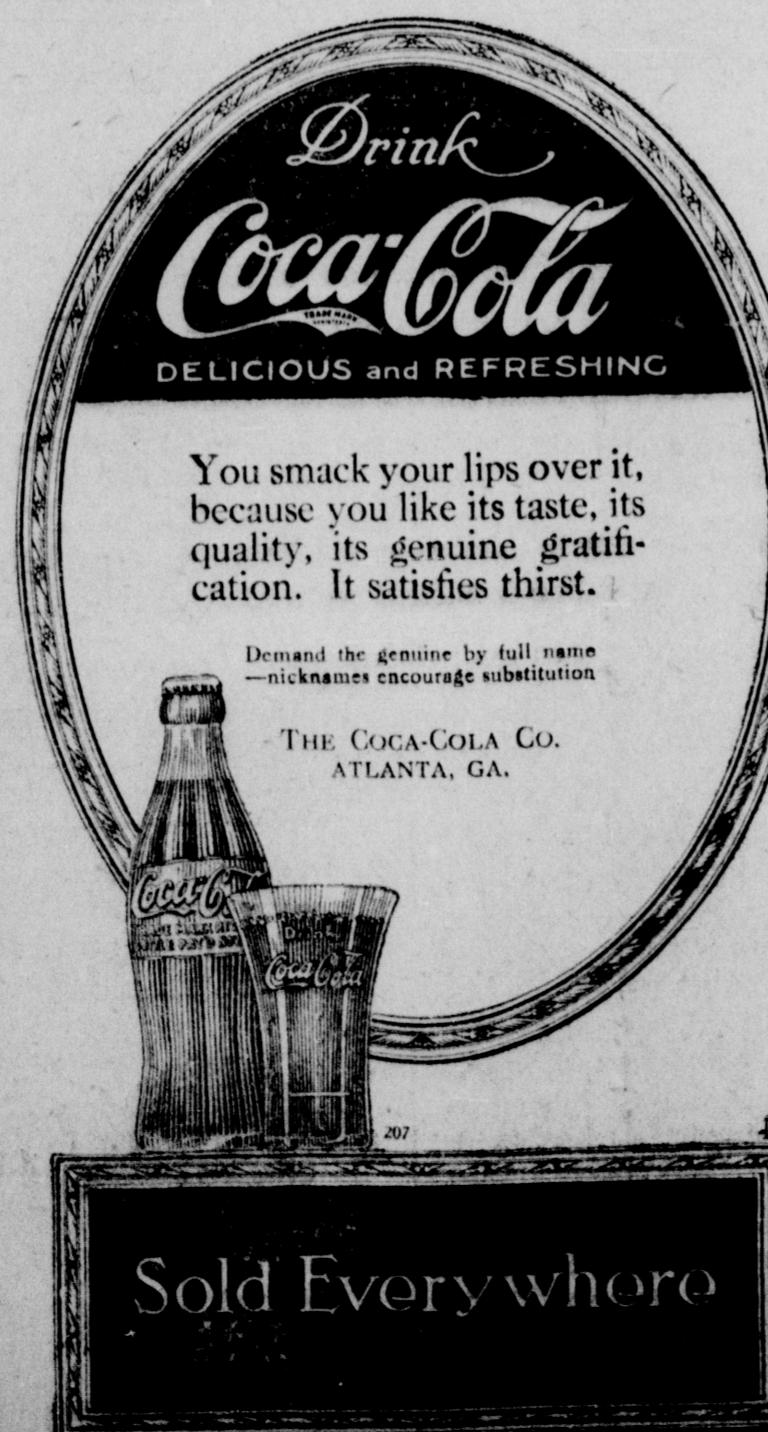
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ODELL TEXAS**Tisdal Judge at Childress Fair.**

County Agent N. R. Tisdal is in receipt of a message from L. R. Hunter, county agent of Childress county, asking him to be present at the fair of that county to be held in Childress on September 17, 18, 19 and 20 to act in the capacity of one of the judges of the agricultural products. Mr. Tisdal will comply with the request and will leave in the morning for Childress. He expects to return Friday.

Notice to Public.

My office is with the Smith Auto Sales Company, east side of square, in the McDonald old barn. My day phone is 647 and residence 207.

674p Adv. DR. E. BARNES.

Baptist Women Will Meet in Odell.

The Baptist women will have their program at the Association meeting in Odell on the last day of the gathering September 18. The association meets today, tomorrow and Thursday.

C. W. Lloyd of Des Moines, Iowa, arrived Saturday to spend two weeks in Vernon visiting at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Lloyd. He was accompanied by his niece, Miss Bernice Lloyd of Frankfort, Kans., who will make her home with her grandparents here and attend the local high school.

W. C. Briggs of Paducah spent Sunday and Monday in Vernon, visiting friends and transacting business.

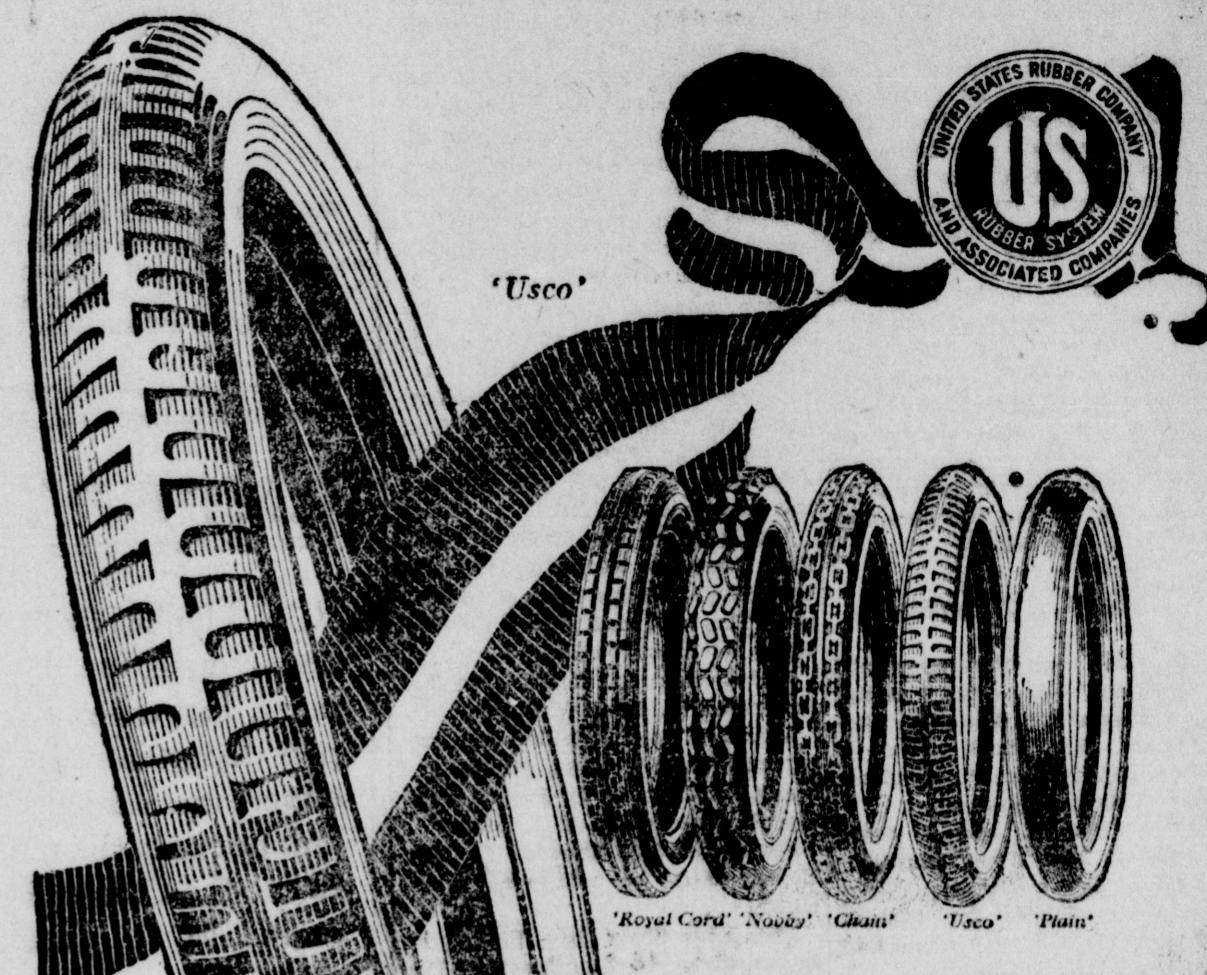
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ACTIVITY IS SHOWN IN DRILLING REPORT

PINKSTON SAYS WILBARGER GETTING MOST THOROUGH TEST OF ANY COUNTY.

The efforts to further enlarge the oil field in Wilbarger county is shown by the drilling report herewith. S. R. Pinkston says that Wilbarger county is getting the most thorough test of any county in Texas outside of those where there is large production.

Mr. Pinkston has been in every county north of the Texas & Pacific railroad and in many counties south of that line. He says the one most nearly approximating Wilbarger is McCulloch county, where they boast of having seventeen test wells, and claimed to be leading the State until Mr. Pinkston showed them what was being done here.

The following report of drilling operations in Wilbarger, Foard and Hardeman counties is furnished by courtesy of the Guaranty Abstract Company:

Aetna Oil Company No. 1, Goss subdivision 23 Waggoner Colony, 700 feet, underreaming.

American Eagle Oil & Gas Company Kelly, Section 54, Block 13, repairing machinery.

Apex Oil Company, Section 36, Block 13, Ferguson, derrick blown down, 1,385 feet.

Texas Crescent Oil Company, Section 24, Block 13, timbers on ground.

Webb-Magnus et al., Luther Webb farm, Section 48, Block 12, spudding in.

Wilbarger County Oil Company, Carter, Section 21, Block 10, spudding in.

Kemp, et al., Section 19, Block 13, drilling at 1,800 feet, oil standing 1,600 feet in hole, casing being set. This well went over the derrick Friday. It is nine feet in the sand.

Staley, et al., Vaughn, Section 5, Block 15, rigging up.

Wilbarger-Hardeman County Oil Company, Durham, Section 67, Block 16, spudding below 100 feet.

Vassey-Odell Oil Company, Vassey, rigging up on Section 4, Block 11.

Crescent Cove Oil Company, J. P. Starr, Section 7, Block 15, machinery and derrick.

Castlebury Oil & Gas Company, Castlebury, Section 67, Block 14, location.

Minnesota Southern Oil Company, Collingsworth survey, shut down, 1,520 feet.

Staley Farm Oil Company, M. B. Tatum survey, location.

Harrington & Robinson No. 1, McCaleb, Section 62, Block 16, drilling 1,100 feet.

Clio Oil Company, 32 acres in Block 39, location.

Twin Six Oil Company, Smith well in Section 25, Block 13, drilling at 800 feet.

Staley-Greene et al., J. G. Ayres farm, Section 21, Block 10, contract.

Three locations recently made by Vernon companies are: on Section 86, Block 11; Section 37, Block 10, West of Odell; and on the Katherine Waggoner farm on Red River, Section 26, Block 12.

La Rue Oil Company, Rogers, No. 2, drilling, 595 feet.

Noble Oil & Gas Company, Section 45, Block 14, Judd farm, location.

Beaver Farm Oil Company, Womack, 830 feet, drilling.

Harold-Texas Oil Company, No. 1, Cochrane, Sections 47 and 48, Block 13, materials for two wells.

McCormack, Smith No. 1, Section 25, Block 13, drilling 980 feet.

Waggoner Colony Oil Company, Taylor, No. 1, Section 55, Block 13, drilling 1,340 feet.

Byars Farm Oil Company, Lou Byars, Section 69, Block 12, 880 feet, underreaming.

Home Oil & Refining Company leases on 280,000 acres, in Waggoner ranch—Guy Waggoner No. 1, Section 35, Block 1, underreaming at 985 feet; No. 2, Guy Waggoner, material on ground; No. 1, Paul Waggoner, Section 9, Block 1, 500 feet; Nos. 4 to 12, locations.

Guyer-Trisler Oil Company, Guyer No. 1, sub-division No. 122 Waggoner Colony lands, 1,100 feet.

Neal-Hamilton, No. 1, Section 28, Block 11, spudding at 495 feet.

Putnam & Sutton, W. T. Waggoner, 3,300 acre lease, Section 39, Block 14, drilling at 980 feet.

Texas Company, Street No. 1, Section 17, Block 19, shut down.

Gulf Production Company, No. 1, Waggoner, Section 12, Block 14, drilling at 500 feet.

Vernon Oil & Development Co., No. 1, Lowe, Section 94, Block 14 spudding.

West Vernon Oil Company, No. 1, Hurt, Section 91, Block 14, drilling at 540 feet.

Kansas City Petroleum Company, No. 1, King, Section 72, Block 12, derrick.

Liberty Oil & Development Co., No. 1, Section 25, Block 13, 1,250 feet, drilling.

Pope Oil Company No. 1, Raemer, Section 43, Block 13, drilling around 1,600 feet.

W. G. Burton, lease of \$5,000 acres

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In A. B. Wharton ranch, drilling on Section 51, Block 2.

Moonshine Hill No. 1, Cobb, subdivision 76, Waggoner Colony, 1,810 feet, running five-inch casing.

The Texas Company Drilling 17 Wells.

The Texas Company on its W. T. Waggoner lease, 179 Waggoner, drilling, 1,628 feet; No. 180 rigging up; No. 184, drilling at 1,650 feet; No. 185, drilling at 1,360 feet; No. 186 drilling at 1,050 feet; No. 188, drilling at 1,700 feet; No. 189, drilling at 1,305 feet; No. 190, and 192 are derricks; No. 193, drilling at 1,270 feet; No. 194, drilling at 620 feet; No. 195, fishing at 615 feet; Nos. 196 to 200 are locations.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company Is Busy.

Piper lease—Section 18, Block 13, No. 29, Piper 1,560 feet drilling; No. 30, drilling at 1,680 feet; No. 30, drilling at 1,870 feet; No. 31, drilling at 790 feet; Nos. 32 and 33 are locations. There are over forty producing wells on this tract. On the Francis Summer, Sections 17 and 28, Block 13, No. 40, drilling at 2,000 feet; No. 37, drilling at 1,860 feet. The Magnolia Company has about thirty-five producing wells on this lease. On the H. & T. C. lease Section 15, Block 13, No. 37, drilling at 1,960 feet; No. 38 drilling at 1,200 feet; Nos. 39 and 40 locations. On this tract there are thirty-two producers, according to best information obtainable.

Completions.

Magnolia Petroleum Company, No. 38, H. & T. C., 50 barrels, 1,050 feet.

Texas Company's No. 184, Waggoner, 20 barrels, 1,220 feet.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 38, H. & T. C., has been completed at 1,050 feet, and is producing fifty barrels.

The Texas Company's No. 185, Waggoner, is producing twenty barrels at 1,220 feet.

Foard County After Oil.

Wilbarger-Foard Oil Company, Section 13, Block 8, Beasley, No. 1, in Foard County is 890 feet, drilling, No. 2 in a location.

Emerald Oil & Gas Company, No. 1, Herring & Johnson, is fishing at 2,800 feet.

Plainview Oil Company, No. 1, Ryan, is a derrick.

Hardeman County Is Active.

Quanah-Texas Drilling Association, No. 1, Ward, drilling.

Old Colony Petroleum Company, Neal, No. 1, lot 82, Block H, of the W. N. Ry. Co., drilling below 2,900 feet.

Great Western Petroleum Company, drilling at 800 feet.

Nee-Noo-She Oil Company, No. 1, Stewart, 495 feet.

Groesbeck, No. 1, Parks, drilling; No. 2, O'Hair, derrick.

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LIBRARY GETS NEW FICTION.

Miss Newton Expects Greater Demand for Books Now That Schools Are Opening.

Miss Lillian Newton, librarian, reports the receipt of a number of volumes of fiction at the Carnegie library. She says announcement of new books always stimulates reading, and thinks that more books will be withdrawn now that schools are opening, as many teachers and pupils from Vernon and the county avail themselves of the library for reference books, as well as some leisure reading.

More books will be withdrawn, particularly by country folk, when crops are harvested. Miss Newton thinks people in the country make liberal use of the library.

Following is a list of new books:

"The Eyes of Asia," by Rudyard Kipling. All who have longed for a new Kipling book of Asia will want to read this. All the atmosphere and color of India which Mr. Kipling has made his own is here.

"Yashka, My Life as Peasant, Officer and Exile," by Maria Bochkareva, commander of the Russian women's Battalion of Death. In this book Maria Bochkareva gives graphic pictures of her battalion, the disintegration of the Russian army after the revolution of Kerensky, Lenin, Trotsky, and others. The events that she recalls are a succession so dramatically startling that they tax one's credibility.

"Pictures Every Child Should Know" contains a description of forty-eight masterpieces of art with a short biography of all of the great painters. "Happy Jack," a new book by Thornton Burgess the author of "Bed Time Story Books". It is written in language sufficiently simple for reading to kindergarten children.

"The Re-Creation of Brian Kent," by Harold Bell Wright. This is a novel of life and love in the Ozarks. Brian Kent, Auntie Sue, Judy and Betty Joe are more than creations—they are actual human beings. Over eight million copies of this thrilling novel have been sold.

"Old Dad," by Eleanor Hallowell Abbott, is just a real human story of a young girl who made friends with her own father, who turned out to be young too. It contains a flashing picture of the tropic wonderland of the Keys of Florida with their white sands, deep blue foliage and burning blue of sky and water. Over all of it is the sparkle and swing of Eleanor Abbott's crisp, humorous, inimitable way of telling things.

"Little Folks' Land," the story of a little boy in a big world, by Madge A. Bingham. The object of this kindergarten serial is to bring to the level of the child's mind, a sense of man's social, moral and spiritual relationships. This is an excellent book for primary teachers.

"Gas, Gasoline and Oil Engines," by Frederick Collins; a volume of useful information about engines. The information given in this book is necessary to any one using an engine, whatever its type, and to any one who wants to know what kind of an engine to buy.

"Golden Stars," and other verses, by Henry Van Dyke. In this collection there are songs for the home coming warriors and for those remembered by "Golden Stars," the ode for the memorial service at Princeton University December 1918.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Hale & Berry, dealers in real estate and oil leases, has been dissolved. I have an office in the new Oil Exchange on West Pease street. List your property with me, or call on me for what you want. Quick action. Phone 98. Irp Adv. ARTHUR BERRY.

Buck Bradley of Burk Burnett was a visitor in Vernon Sunday.

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Frank Cummins of Gainesville is in Vernon transacting business and visiting relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lyon left Sunday for Ranger to visit their son, Emmett.

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MRS. HARRY MASON HOSTESS.**Notice to Painters.**

The Commissioners Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, will receive bids up to 10 o'clock a. m., October 1st, 1919, to paint the outside walls, also to paint and whitewash the inside walls of the courthouse, as per specifications on file in the office of the County Judge. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This September 15, 1919.

E. L. McHUGH,

7021 Tues. County Judge.

Rev. Rouse Closes Kirkland Meeting.

Rev. W. T. Rouse, pastor of the First Baptist Church, returned Monday from Kirkland, where he has been for a week conducting a series of revival meetings. The last service was held Sunday night. Rev. Rouse reports that while the people in that community were extremely busy with their crops and the attendance was light, the results of the meeting were good.

Lease for Sale.

10 acres on Section 25, block 13, H. & T. C. Railway Survey; 10 acres in Subdivision 74, Waggoner Colony; 100 feet in section 74, block 12. I don't know several days. Mr. Patterson is one of the owners of the Round Timbers Ranch north of Odell, and is looking after his property.

Buy Rugs Now.

We can save you \$5.00 to \$10.00 on a rug. Come and make us prove it. Just received a nice assortment, but they won't be here long. We price them to sell and sell fast.

16 THE EVERYTHING STORE.

Miss Helen Hiatt went to Dallas Sunday, where she will be a student in Powell University Training School.

Miss Laura Randall left Sunday for Denton, where she will enter the College of Industrial Arts.

Kaboo for your white shoes can't be beat. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-21p

Mrs. H. A. Whiteside has rented her home on North Bowie street to E. B. Ballinger, and is joining her son, Harvey, who is employed with the Wichita Mill & Elevator Company. Mrs. Whiteside expects to live in Wichita Falls until spring.

Fargo News.

Fargo, Sept. 15.—(By special correspondence)—Jay Baird returned to his home in Upshur county last week. He is a brother of Mrs. Artie Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cartwright, Draw Cartwright, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright of Van Alstyne, made a business trip to Burkhardt last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright have returned to their home after visiting here for several days.

Mrs. J. H. Cato, Misses Ida Belle and Vada Cato and Orr Cato are in Mineral Wells. They made the trip in their car.

Mrs. Addie Wiseman and Miss Lois Colley of Dallas returned to their home Friday after a few days visit with relatives.

W. W. Chennault, J. L. McCauley, Dr. A. T. Hays, Emmett and Frank Ketchersid, J. H. Parker, E. Davee, Oscar Tuttle, Artie Hays, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dennis, Mrs. F. M. Culham, Misses Lucille and Marie Marr, Cecil Goins, Clarence Wilhelm, Frank Mason and H. E. Key, were Vernon visitors last week.

Charlie Mason entered Decatur Baptist College last Monday. Charlie was the only boy graduate of the high school this year.

Hardy Cabe and family have moved to Vernon to live with his mother.

A family by the name of O'Bryant of Bowie have moved on the farm vacated by the Cabe's.

M. L. McDonald and Will Swanson were Vernon visitors last week.

Charlie Bryan made a business trip to Tolbert for Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin last week.

J. L. Crisp made a business trip to Tolbert last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goins spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Seelby at Doans.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owens and family of Doans visited J. L. Crisp and family Saturday.

W. B. Paeker is hauling between Wichita Falls and Burkhardt.

Hardy and J. T. Cabe of Vernon were visitors in the community last week.

Farmers are busy gathering feed and picking cotton.

Clyde Young left Saturday night for Austin, where he will attend the University of Texas. He will be a student in the Engineering Department.

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One complete standard string of tools, heavy California outfit, including engine, boiler, 6-inch rig irons and all rig timbers cut, framed and ready to set up. This outfit is new and on board car at Cisco. \$11,000 for quick sale.

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A good sandy land 160-acre farm, fine improvements, 100 acres in cultivation, 40 acres in cotton, 60 acres in corn and maize, 2 teams, all tools for \$55.00 per acre. This land is 7 miles from Kirkland in Garden Valley.

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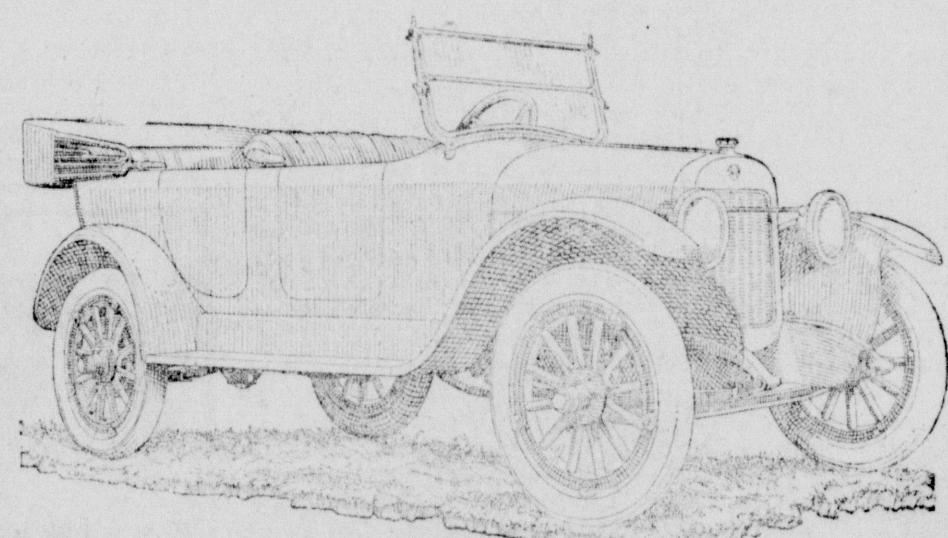
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This artist then went to the telephone and placed his order for one.

But the real great beauty of the Post-War Maxwell was hidden from the eye of this noted artist.

He did not know about the vast improvements made in the chassis, how the electric system has been perfected, how a heavier and masterly rear axle has been used, how Hot Spot and Ram's-horn have given the engine a new efficiency, how the emergency brake has been set up on the transmission shaft, nor a score of others that would make a "mechanical mind" forget his dinner.

It's a greater Maxwell than any of the 300,000 of the same type that grace the highways of the world.

Though a respectable sum has been added in value, the price is only \$985 f. o. b. Detroit.



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More miles on tires

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

TO LEASE—Acreage east of town near Byars Farm well. See owner of land and save commission. B. H. Lewis. 70-2tp

POSTED NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that the R. S. Allen place nine miles north of Harrold has been posted according to law. Hunters and fishermen are warned to keep out. C. J. Ferguson, lessor. 55-48tp

I HAVE A LARGE amount of money to loan on farm lands. Long time and low rate of interest. T. P. Lismann. 29-tp

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A good south room. 412 South Mesquite street. 68-3tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, two blocks west of City Hall. Modern. Garage if desired. Mrs. J. N. Johnson. Phone 75. 70-2tp

I HAVE a very desirable room for rent. Mrs. A. A. Lloyd. Phone 300. 1tc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Phone 211. Mrs. W. M. McClellan. 69-1tp

West Vernon News.

West Vernon, Sept. 10.—(By special correspondence) — Dalton Blankenship of Lebanon, Tenn., has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. D. Thompson. He will return home probably Sunday night.

J. C. Anderson of Iowa Park made a short visit with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson. Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Phillips and little daughter, Vera, of Vernon spent Sunday with Mrs. Clyde Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Martin left Sunday for Louisville, Kentucky, to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert King visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barberick of Guyer Sunday.

Miss Cleota Swinn of Tolbert visited Misses Lois and Patty Thompson from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hazard are visiting friends and relatives in Clinton, Mo. They will visit in other points in Kentucky before returning home.

Mrs. R. C. Anderson went to Iowa Park Thursday to make a short visit with her daughter, Miss Lora Anderson, also son, J. C. Anderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joseph of Dawson Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Cook Sunday.

Money to Loan.

On improved farms, stock farms and ranches! Vendor's lien notes purchased and extended; reasonable rates; liberal terms of pre-payment. Sudden Service. No expense to you for examination of the security or abstracts. Come in and talk it over with us.

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Bass King Building Modern Home.

Bass King of Oklaumon has let the contract to F. A. Sable for the construction of a modern home on his lots on West Paradise street. The residence will be modern in every respect and equipped with all conveniences. Mr. King will move to Vernon as soon as the residence is completed.

Staley to Build on West Wilbarger.

C. R. Staley has bought some lots on West Wilbarger street from J. R. Renfro and will build a modern home. The residence will be on the airplane bungalow style and thoroughly modern. The house complete will cost about \$5,000. Tom Skipworth has charge of the carpenter work.

Blanchard Moves to Chillicothe.

J. J. Blanchard and family have moved from their farm near Tolbert to Chillicothe. Mr. Blanchard will engage in some kind of business in that city.

Ice Cream Social at Oklaumon.

The Domestic Science Club of Oklaumon will have an ice cream supper Friday evening. Plenty of ice cream and a good time are promised by the ladies to all who come.

G. L. Hamm's Sister Dead.

G. L. Hamm returned Friday from Tennessee where he had been to attend the funeral of his sister. Death came following a long spell of illness.

Building Houses for Employees.

The Vernon Cotton Oil Company is building four houses near its plant in North Vernon. These will be occupied by employees. One of the houses will have four rooms. Three of them will have two rooms each.

Chillicothe Man Moves Here.

J. G. Bryant of route 1 Chillicothe has moved to Vernon. He is living on Maiden street. Mr. Bryant had his Record charged to keep up with events in Vernon and the county.

W. C. T. U. With Mrs. A. P. Howard.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Mrs. A. P. Howard on East Wilbarger street at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The officers urge that members be present promptly.

F. F. Phillips of Amarillo visited relatives in Vernon Thursday.

FOR SALE.

WILL TRADE Houston, Texas, lot, value \$550 for good used car or Vernon property. G. W. Turney, 718 East Pease street. 68-3tp

FOR SALE—A 3-room house and lot in East Vernon. Will take a span of mules or horses in part payment. Also a good car for sale. Will take a span of mules or horses in part payment. H. H. Ihlebrand. 67-8tp

FOR SALE—Good six-room residence, close in, price right. Address owner, Box 181. 62-1tp

FOR SALE—One five-room house, 80 by 160 foot lot. Good out buildings. Terms reasonable; reason for selling, leaving state. See J. T. Martin, West Wanderer street. 68-4tp

FOR SALE—The best half section of land in Wilbarger county, right smack dab between two deep test wells, not over two miles away. The improvements cost \$15,000. Will sacrifice for \$200 per acre. Land worth the money. See C. S. McCollough. Other bargains for the "top waters." See me. 70-2tp

NEARLY NEW 4-room house and four lots near the high school. Price \$2750. Half cash. P. O. Box 824. 1tp

GOOD 4-ROOM house and two lots close in. Price \$1500; half cash. P. O. Box 824. 1tp

FOR SALE—With or without oil and gas rights, 200 acres in Paradise Heights Addition to Vernon, Section 65, block 12. Ideal location for oil well on townsite. Already plotted. Overlooks best home town in Texas. Bids for land or lease appreciated. Terms to suit, at 8 per cent. D. R. Britt, Roswell, N. M. 70-4tp

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one or three sections of land. Part of it can be irrigated at a small cost. Also will lease 165 acres for oil at \$10 per acre. W. M. Boger. 66-16tp

Livestock and Poultry

FOR SALE—I still have some good mules and horses and mares for sale. Do not need them and don't want to feed them through the winter. J. A. Creager, Oklaumon, Texas. 69-4tp

FOR SALE—8. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels. April hatched. S. Mrs. S. T. Porterfield, Tolbert, Texas. 70-4tp

FOR SALE—Six male colts. These are good ones. One mile east and three miles north of Tolbert. J. H. Freudiger. 70-4tp

FOR SALE—Good team work horses; ages 4 and 5 years. See M. Crownover Odell. 68-3tp

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—One Milwaukee row binder, practically new. Would consider some trade, cows or young mules. S. E. Gunn, 3 miles southeast of Rayland, Texas. 68-3tp

FOR SALE—Fine Cord Casings and Tubes complete. One five-passenger Paige auto top; one five-passenger Paige; this car is in perfect condition, equipped with new casings and tubes, closed top with silk draw curtains. Good values at bargain prices for cash. W. A. Atchison. 70-2tp

FOR OIL RIGS see W. J. Doane of Gamage & Doane Supply Company, care of Stock Exchange, Childress, Texas. 70-2tp

FOR SALE—C. G. Conn Cornet, at a bargain. A very fine instrument. Wallace Baird. 1tp

PEARS FOR SALE at my orchard two and one-half miles east of Odell, \$1 a bushel. Mrs. J. J. Fain. 1tp

FOR SALE—Practically new Ford truck. This truck was used for a few days only and traded to us on a heavier truck. A bargain if taken at once. Works Auto & Supply Co. 1tp

FOR SALE—1918 touring car, or will trade for household goods. Call at J. H. Byrd's, North Bowie street. 69-3tp

FOR SALE—Five-passenger Dodge car. In good condition. Good tires. Call at White Garage. 69-3tp

FOR SALE—Some good pears for sale at \$1 per bushel at J. F. White's orchard, 10 miles north of Vernon. 68-3tp

FOR SALE—Gin plant in good condition. J. R. White, Tolbert, Rt. 1. 68-3tp

WANTED

WANTED—Oratory class for this school term. Prefer the older pupils. For terms, phone 436. Mrs. J. B. Lecompte at Jim Dyer's residence. 67-1tp

WANTED—To rent, a 150-acre farm or smaller. See or write R. F. Pannell, Electra, Texas. 68-3tp

BRING ME your second hand furniture and get the highest market price. A. C. Hahn. 26-1tp

WANTED—To buy several hundred bushels of corn delivered at my place three miles of Vernon. T. J. Summerour. 69-2tp

WANTED—The Standard Farm Tractor Company of Dallas, who build a three-plow tractor and a new and highly successful motor driven row cultivator, wants an active dealer in Vernon for Wilbarger county and offer an excellent proposition to any one interested. Call on Carroll Smith, Room 31, Vernon Hotel. 70-2tp

WANTED—3 unfurnished rooms or would rent a house. Phone 647 or call R. E. Hanks, Bailey Hotel. 70-2tp

WANTED—Two or more rooms for light housekeeping. Ready furnished, close in for man and wife. Phone 932. 70-2tp

POSITION WANTED—By young lady as cashier or as sales lady. Experienced. P. O. Box 250. 69-1tp

WANTED—Boy who is willing to work and deliver. Must be able to ride bicycle. B. & W. Drug Co. 70-2tp

WANTED—A girl or woman helper, permanent place for the right kind, good wages. Phone 95. Mrs. C. R. Staley. 62-1tp

C. P. Smith of Oklahoma City is in Vernon visiting relatives and transacting business.

LOST, FOUND OR STRAYED.

STRAYED—Black mare mule, 3 years old, 14 hands, 2 inches high. Return to New Wagon Yard and get reward from Dr. N. C. Fike. W. A. Bruce. 68-3tp

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Follow Vernon people's example.
Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here's Vernon testimony. Verify it if you wish.

Mrs. E. L. Ballew, 215 S. Violet street, says: "I am always glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. This medicine has been used in my family for some time. Just a short time ago my kidneys were causing me much trouble. They were weak and irregular in action. My back also ached. I began the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and before long they had cured me of the trouble. Another of my family has also received wonderful results from this medicine."

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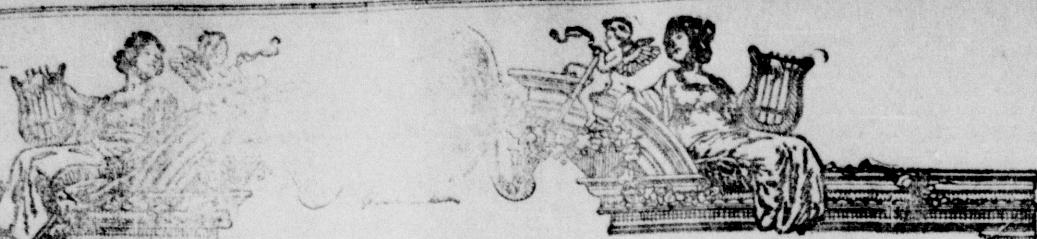
Our derrick is up on the Star land in Section 7, Block 15, Wilbarger County, Texas. We will drill 2,500 feet unless oil or gas in paying quantities is found at a lesser depth.

We are offering 50,000 shares of stock for sale at \$1.00 per share. We are NOT like some, offering you a SURE THING, but we think we have a good chance for oil, and the drill is the only sure way of telling.

Our present location is within three hundred yards of where two 1280 foot wells were drilled several years ago on the Covert land. Oil was reported found in both wells.

All money received from the sale of stock is placed in The First Guaranty State Bank of Vernon to be used for development and expense of company.

Write or call C. W. HARVEY, Secretary, care of First Guaranty State Bank, or Vernon Hotel.



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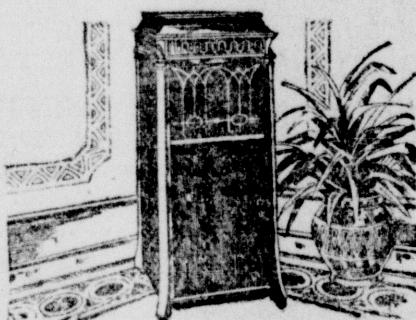
It is impossible to have all kinds of vocal and instrumental artists in your home to sing and play for you when you want them, but it is possible to have RE-CREATED music in your home which cannot be distinguished from the original.

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Perry Howard left Friday night for Columbia, Tenn., where he goes to attend the Columbia Military Institute during the 1919-20 session.

If you haven't a Kodak of your own, we will loan you one free. If you want to buy, we sell the Eastman line. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-tce

Just received a car load of White Crest flour. Satisfaction guaranteed. D. C. Matthews, West Texas street. 70-3te Adv.

Lot 60 1/2 by 290 feet on West Texas street, north front. A bargain if taken at once. J. B. Love. Telephone 625. 62-tce Adv.

Joe Keys of Chillicothe was a visitor in Vernon Sunday.

I have buyers for suburban city property. Vacant acreage property at right prices preferred. Either call phone No. 617 or call at my office. J. R. Jones, Agent, Ferguson building, North Main Street. 55-tce

LITTLE CHANCE IS OFFERED FARMERS FOR MOVING WHEAT

While Railroad Men Say Traffic Congestion Is Being Cleared Up Somewhat, Manager of Kell Milling Company Says Movement Will Be Immaterial Before October 1—No Buying.

The farmers of Wilbarger county have thousands of dollars tied up in an immense wheat crop that they can not market but are forced to store in granaries and wherever they can find room as a result of the continuation of the embargo on grain to ports of exportation. Many farmers who have spent their last dollar for harvesting expenses are now obtaining living expenses by mortgages on their grain.

The traffic congestion in this section has been somewhat relieved, according to local railroad men, but the Railroad Administration is persistent in its refusal to issue permits for the shipment of grain to Gulf ports. Local elevators are full and dealers have been out of the market for several weeks.

Some relief to the holders of grain is promised in a message from D. F. Piazzek, vice president of the United States Grain Commission, to H. B. Dorsey, secretary of the Texas Grain Dealers Association. The text of the message follows:

"A careful survey of the situation at both Gulf ports and of wheat flowing in that direction and also a careful review of the vessel tonnage available at the Gulf for the next six weeks, leads us to the opinion that we can suggest to the Railroad Administration lifting the embargo on Galveston this week to the extent of relieving the particularly distressed situation in territory dependent upon Gulf for outlet."

Mr. Dorsey believes this means that only the distressed cases will be taken care of. According to his interpretation of the message, relief will be given to a point where all elevators are filled and cars loaded on the track, with wheat involved. He also believes a case where farmers have grain unprotected on the ground, as a result of the embargo, would come under the distressed condition.

J. A. Birdsong, manager of the Kell Milling Company here, does not believe Mr. Piazzek's message is definite enough to give any assurance of relief for some time yet. "It is my opinion that the embargo will not be lifted, so as to be of any material benefit, before October 1," Mr. Birdsong says.

OKLAUNION SCHOOL OPENS

About 100 Pupils Hear Talks by Patrons, County Agent and County Superintendent.

A number of the patrons were present and made interesting speeches at the opening of the Oklaunion school Monday. Addresses were also delivered by County Superintendent J. N. Fulcher and County Agent N. R. Tisdale. The session opened with an attendance of about 100.

W. M. Gourley is principal and his assistants are: Mrs. J. W. Stringer and Misses Winnie Porterfield, Annie Burlsmith and Janie Boyle.

New Correspondent at Fargo.

Misses Janie and Willie Green of Route 1, Tolbert, will be representatives of The Record for Fargo, succeeding Mrs. D. J. Wilhelm. Mrs. Wilhelm has been correspondent for The Record for a long time and has made the paper many friends. It is with regret that she is lost to the news gathering staff. However, a multitude of duties make it seem impossible for her to keep up the work. The Record will appreciate any courtesies shown the Misses Green, and any news items given them.

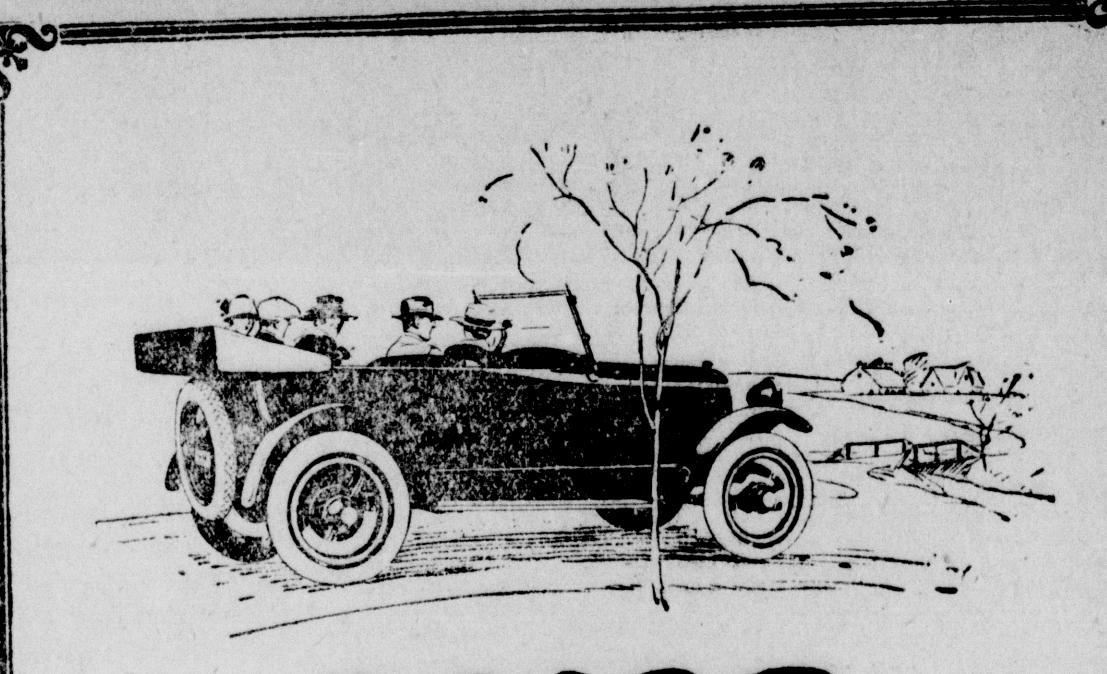
Mrs. Works and Daughters Home.
Mmes. A. M. and G. A. Works and J. M. Willis and Misses Bennie and Ida Works have returned from Colorado Springs, where they have been spending the summer. The former two returned Saturday night. Others of the party arrived last night. Mrs. Willis and Miss Bennie Works will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Works for several days before returning to their home in Ardmore, Okla.

Grand Jury Re-Convened.

The grand jury which re-convened yesterday for the purpose of considering the cases of Willie Lewis, colored, charged with forgery; and Joe Wright, charged with shooting Wm. Shultz, is still in session. The petit jury for the week has been dismissed until Thursday and the court is now busy with civil cases.

Have your old shoes made new. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-2tp

John Stephens expects to leave today for Clarendon to enter Clarendon College for the year.



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PRICE'S MATTRESS FACTORY,
201 West Wilbarger Street. Phone No. 453. Adv. 38-tf

L. L. Drury of Olustee, Okla., was in Vernon on business Friday.

N. M. Piper of Harrold was a business visitor in Vernon Saturday.

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Our Rug stock is very complete; we have some very beautiful patterns, ranging in price from \$16.00 up as high as you wish to go.

Remember these goods were all bought some time past, so you will get the benefit of an early buy if you will come before they are all gone.

If you will just follow the crowd to Youngblood's store you will see who is selling the furniture in Vernon. Come early while you can get what you want at the price you wish to pay.

Yours truly

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EVERYTHING IN DRUGS

Maybe you have a special formula or remedy, a good old standard family compound which you would like to have prepared?

Remember that we sell DRUGS, and in DRUGS we sell the best, and in selling you the best we save you the most money in that we give you the best medicinal results. Send us your DRUG orders. We want to fill your prescriptions.

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WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES ON ALL CURED MEATS

We deliver bills of \$5.00 or more every morning, but do not make deliveries in afternoon.

BROWN'S CASH GROCERY

FIRST DAY COUNTY FAIR DESIGNATED "SOLDIERS' DAY"

October 1 Will Also Be "Vernon Day" at Local Celebration—Plans Will Be Made at Meeting of Ex-Military Men Saturday Week When Post of American Legion Will Be Formed.

R. H. Coffee, manager of the Wilbarger County Fair, has announced that the first day of the fair, which is Wednesday, October 1, will be "Soldiers' Day." Wednesday will also be "Vernon Day" and many special attractions are planned.

No definite program has yet been arranged for this day, but the matter will be thoroughly discussed at the meeting of ex-military men, called to gather at the court house Saturday September 27, for the purpose of organizing a post of the American Legion in Wilbarger county. The day will probably open with a monster parade of the discharged men of the county, after which special features will be staged during the entire day.

It is urged that every ex-army man in the county be present at the meeting in order that the final details of the parade may be arranged. Co-operation of the citizenship of the county is asked in notifying the soldiers of the meeting.

A further reason for a full attendance Saturday at the meeting is that a good representation is specially desired at the organization of the Legion post. J. A. Story has been appointed organizer for this county. The American Legion is a National organization with which the local post will be affiliated. President Wilson signed the bill authorizing its incorporation while on board his special train.

Wildcat News.

Wildcat, Sept. 17.—(By special correspondence)—The farmers are all through threshing and are gathering their feedstuff, which is very good. It will be more than a week before cotton is ready to pick.

The protracted meeting, which was to have been held here by Rev. R. V. Tooley was postponed. Bro. Tooley found it impossible to be here now as he had to hold several more meetings before coming here. He thinks he can hold it in three or four weeks.

School started Monday morning with Miss Leola Smith of Fargo teacher.

Mack Fulton came in from Claude where he has been working with the thresher. Marvin Howell is still on the plains with the thresher.

Our community's last soldier boy to return was Howard M. Chadwick who came in Saturday. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick and had been in service thirteen months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chadwick of Vernon spent Sunday with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Morehead and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Leverett of the Lockett community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Nunn.

Miss Annie Nunn has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Maggie Bolton of Hinds. She and Mrs. Bolton returned to Mrs. Will Nunn's Monday.

Miss Alta Lee Curry is real sick this week.

I. G. Luttrell had the misfortune of losing three head of horses last week. They broke into his maize.

TO PAINT COURTHOUSE.

Work of Remodeling Inside of Building Held Up by Shortage of Workmen.

County Judge E. L. McHugh is advertising for bids proposing to paint the outside and calcimine the inside of the courthouse. The bids will be received on October 1. The specifications are on file in his office.

The work of remodeling the interior in preparation for moving the office of the collector and assessor from the northeast to the northwest room has been temporarily delayed on account of inability to secure workmen. The change is being made in order that the room at present occupied by these officers may be available for the use of the county clerk.

BUYS INTEREST IN REFINERY.

G. A. Works and Associates Will Lay Pipe Line to Iowa Park Plant.

G. A. Works of Vernon and associates of Wichita Falls have purchased an interest in the New Era Refining Company at Iowa Park. They are laying a pipe line from their holdings in the Burk Burnett Field to the refinery, and are building loading racks at Iowa Park.

These improvements will enable them to get their oil out, despite the congestion in the Burk Burnett field.

QUARTER SECTION SOLD FOR \$20,000

J. H. COOK EXPECTS TO MAKE ALFALFA FARM OUT OF 160 ACRES.

Twenty thousand dollars is the price paid by J. H. Cook for the southeast quarter of section 114, block 14 H. & T. C. R'y. survey. The land was bought from J. H. Freudiger through Thompson & Richardson.

Mr. Cook recently sold his place north of Vernon, and will move to the quarter just purchased, which is south west of Vernon and adjoining the tract on which the Vernon Oil & Development Company is digging its well. He expects to make an alfalfa farm out of the land, which is sub-irrigated.

Thompson & Richardson also sold

A. J. Carpenter the northeast quarter of block 47, South Addition to Vernon. Mr. Carpenter is a teacher in the public schools, and expects to build a home. This property was purchased from L. E. Fisher.

RETURNS FROM GREENVILLE WHERE MOTHER DIED

Mrs. S. P. McKinney returned Tuesday morning from Greenville where she had been to attend the funeral of her mother, who died on Sunday September 7, after having been seriously ill for about ten days. She had not been in good health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. McKinney were called to the bedside of her parent on Saturday but death came before their arrival. The former returned within a day or two but the latter remained for a several days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Wichita Falls are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones.

Dudley Miller to Houston. Dudley Miller has resigned his position in H. F. McKibbin's dry goods store and has gone to Houston where he expects to enter a Dental College.

Judge G. W. Walther was a business visitor from Crowell Wednesday.

We specialize on Buicks, Palges, Hudsons and in fact all other big cars. I don't work boys and charge you mechanic prices. All work guaranteed to be first class at Freeman's Cash Shop, located in the old Key blacksmith shop, north Main street, Vernon, Texas.

Adv. 60-Site

IT'S GETTING DRY

(No reference to prohibition.)

Your wheat and oats are liable to burn in the field. I can "KIVER" you in shocks, stacks or granaries, at a very small price. See me.

C. S. MCCOLLOCH

MAP OF WILBARGER COUNTY

The original "OWNER'S NAME" map of Wilbarger County and shows everything North of the Waggoner lands, (530,000 acres.)

270,000 acres belonging to W. T. Waggoner will be to lease December 7, 1919.

Wilbarger County is next to top on oil development in Texas; already has large production and about 40 locations drilling or getting ready.

For copy of this map, write

R. L. MORE

Vernon, Texas

PROMPT REPAIRS SAVE MONEY

We repair all makes of motors. Our expert workmen insure prompt and skillful service at reasonable charges.

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Phone 396 tf-Fri. Old Postoffice Bldg.

OIL LEASES, STOCKS, ROYALTIES REAL ESTATE, ETC.

High grade Leases adjacent to several TEST WELLS in famous RED RIVER BEND in Wilbarger County at reasonable prices.

Prompt SERVICE guaranteed those who LIST oil and gas leases, and other properties for sale.

See or write,

HUIE, MATTHEWS & McDANIEL

ODELL, TEXAS

Fall Dress Up.

For this important event we have made very special preparations. From the best the market affords we selected the Newest Styles as developed in the most Favored Fabrics.

The value of this collection in guiding you in the correct choosing of apparel for Fall and Winter can only be appreciated by a review of our offerings.

You can make Dress Up Time an occasion of real import if you come to this store now.

Coats, Suits and Dresses

New in Style -- Charming in Appearance

The Smartest Suits
are Fur Trimmed

All models are extremely smart in line but the newest style is most marked in those which are trimmed with Fur.

Untrimmed Suits are shown for those who prefer to wear separate Fur Scarfs.

\$29.50 to \$124.50

Be Sure to See
the New
Dresses



To many these Dresses will appear as the climax of our entire display. Dainty materials formed in a great variety of charming styles offer the most alluring reasons for choosing here.

\$19.50 to \$69.50.



Very New are the
Smaller Dress
Accessories

But equally important too, for they bring into relief the refinement of dress as nothing else can. Our assortments are ample to provide for your every desire.



Perkins-Timberlake Co.
ASSOCIATED STORES

RIDDING POULTRY YARD OF COOTIES IS NECESSARY WORK



OP lady hen doesn't object to scratching for a living, but she balks on scratching for worms all day and then having to scratch all night at vermin which delight in strolling over her during the era of darkness. 'Tis a pity that returned soldiers who fought cooties in France can not be converted into poultrymen, as without doubt they would work overtime in promoting hen comfort by battling and routing lice and mites from the flocks.

Fowl lice and mites reduce egg production, hinder the growth and reduce the quality of flesh of all classes of poultry. Mites are particularly bad among farm fowl, as these blood sucking insects often gain a firm foothold in the flock before the farmer is aware of their presence. The hens become irritable and decline in egg production and healthy condition as a result of losing blood to the mites. In heavy infested coops it is not unusual for the chickens to become droopy and weak, with the pale combs and wattles. Sitting hens desert their nests and thus ruin the eggs, while in extreme cases they are found dead on the nests, being killed outright by the attack of thousands of mites. The mites feed almost entirely at night except that they attack hens on the nests during the daytime. They secrete themselves in cracks and crevices around the chicken house during the day, and hence their presence often is overlooked until a heavy infestation has developed.

Rout Mites From Roosts.

In controlling mites it is first of all essential to drive the pests from the roosts, nests, and interior of the poultry house, which should be sprayed with a mixture of one part kerosene to four parts of crude petroleum. Ordinarily one application is sufficient but as an extra precaution it is advisable to spray a second time about one month after the first treatment. Poultry should be kept out of the treated buildings until the material has well dried into the wood.

Lice on Turkeys.

Four species of lice are commonly found on turkeys in this country. One of these, which occurs particularly on turkeys associated with chickens, is the common body louse of chickens. This species is not found in great numbers.

FREE PROOF TO YOU

Not One Penny Will RICH-TONE Cost You If It Doesn't Prove of Genuine Worth in YOUR CASE.

You are to be the judge—try this famous tonic—if it doesn't bring to you new energy, a splendid appetite, restful sleep, peaceful and quiet nerves—if it doesn't destroy that tired feeling and build you up, then Rich-Tone will be free to you, it will not cost you anything—NOT ONE PENNY.

YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF to try this marvelous remedy. **YOU OWE IT TO YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS** to be strong, well, happy, bright of eye, brisk of step, ruddy of cheek, able to go about your work with a smile on your lips!

On each bottle is plainly printed, "Money cheerfully refunded if not entirely satisfactory," and your own local druggist will let you try Rich-Tone on this money-back guarantee.

One user says, "I was run down after a bad case of 'flu.' Was in bed four months and under the care of five doctors, had nervous prostration and could not sleep and ate very little. I got a bottle of your wonderful tonic, Rich-Tone, and am now eating three times a day and I sure sleep sound. I can't say enough for your wonderful tonic, Rich-Tone. It is worth its weight in gold. It has saved me \$50 or \$60 as I was going to Mineral Wells, but I do not need to go now, thanks to Rich-Tone."

Rich-Tone makes more red corpuscles, enriching and purifying the blood. It contains all of the elements that are needed most in maintaining strength and vigor. Rich-Tone rests the tired nerves, restores appetite, induces healthful sleep—it gives you all those things which mean energy and well-being. Get a bottle today on our money-back guarantee. Sold locally by T. M. Ferguson Drug Co.

bers on turkeys, but it sometimes becomes sufficiently abundant to cause considerable irritation and doubtless is injurious both to the grown fowls and to the young. The shaft louse of chickens also has been found on turkeys, but probably does not breed on that host. The other two species seem to be native to the turkey, probably existing on this fowl in the wild state. The large turkey louse probably is most abundant. It occurs on the feathers on various parts of the body especially on the neck and breast. The slender turkey louse is a species of good size, though rather elongate, resembling in shape the head louse of chickens. Normally neither of these species is excessively abundant, but on crippled or unthrifty turkeys they may cause serious annoyance and undoubtedly they are injurious to poult

For Sale.

Oil leases of 1,500 acres, solid body. Oil leases near locations, derricks now up; have lease of various sizes in all parts of county. 10,000 acre improved ranch, all tillable, at \$16.00 per acre; 5,000 acres well improved and watered land, all tillable but 500 acres. Price \$16.00. See J. E. Lutz. 46-1f

J. E. Prince Buys East Texas Home.

Euclid Renfro has sold a home on East Texas street to J. E. Prince. Mr. Prince bought the property as an investment. The deal was negotiated by J. R. Jones.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-1fc

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Haley of Wichita Falls are in Vernon visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawkins.

PICKERS FROM EAST TEXAS.

Cotton Pickers Are Plentiful in Belt Stricken by Bolt Worms, J. C. Wilson Says.

J. C. Wilson returned Wednesday morning from Dallas, where he had been in search for cotton pickers. He brought back six negroes and five white people. He is paying \$1.50 a hundred and furnishing his hands a place to live.

Mr. Wilson says that hands are plentiful in the East Texas country, where the cotton has been ruined by the bolt worms. He believes the only solution to the cotton picking problem is by going to this section and bringing the men back. In that way, only, can farmers be sure that they will not accept work before reaching here or fall into the hands of men from further west who are seeking help.

The continued dry weather has opened up the staple rapidly and a number of farmers were on the streets every day last week looking for hands. At the rate the cotton has opened during the last few days, farmers believe the staple will all be gathered within the next two or three months, provided sufficient hands can be obtained.

Notice to Public.

My office is with the Smith Auto Sales Company, east side of square, in the McDonald old barn. My day phone is 6147 and residence 207. 67-4tp Adv. DR. E. BARNEs.

Let Me Move Your House.

I am prepared to move any kind of wooden building and exercise greatest care. My work is guaranteed. Find me at Cameron Lumber Yard. Phone 93.

80-Stop Adv. T. P. ADDISON.

Fresh Vegetables

We will receive all kinds of fresh vegetables twice a week—on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Phone in your order early and get the pick.

WILLIAMS-MOORE GROCERY CO.

Vernon, Texas

Phone 79

FOR SALE

One complete standard string of tools, heavy California outfit, including engine, boiler, 6-inch rig irons and all rig timbers cut, framed and ready to set up. This outfit is new and on board car at Cisco. \$11,000 for quick sale.

See

A. W. LONGWORTH

Vernon Hotel, or 103 Linz Building, Dallas, Texas

If the Price is Right

It is practically sold if you list your property with us. For quick, efficient, honest and courteous real estate service, see us at once for we have several clients who need homes. Will you help us supply their needs?

A Real, Real Estate Bargain.

A good sandy land 160-acre farm, fine improvements, 100 acres in cultivation, 40 acres in cotton, 60 acres in corn and maize, 2 teams, all tools for \$55.00 per acre. This land is 7 miles from Kirkland in Garden Valley.

BLACKWOOD, LARIMORE & OATES

VERNON, TEXAS

CHICKENS

We will pay the following for Chickens till further notice:

Hens, per pound	20c
Springs, per pound	20c
Young Roosters	12c
Old Roosters	10c

White Produce Co.

Phone 286

North Main

Remember.

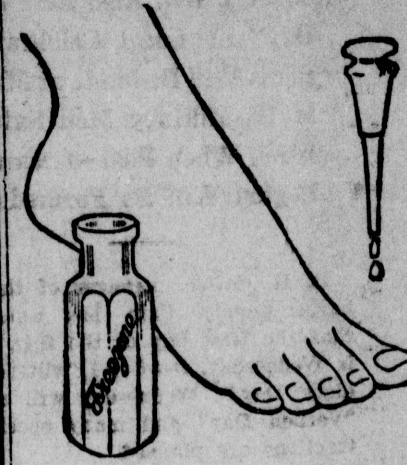
If you are looking for the best stove in town, either to keep you warm or to do your baking, see J. R. Renfro, 71-1fc

Try one sack of White Crest flour and you will never use any other kind. For sale at D. C. Matthew's grocery store on West Texas street. Adv. 70-3tc

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Apply few drops then lift touchy corns off with fingers



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A Haynes user knows what a Haynes automobile means. There are more than 20,000 in use today. No safer guarantee is there than the tried and tested judgment of such a large number of astute investors.

Let us show you the Haynes Character Car. Telephone 471 and have us bring it to your door.

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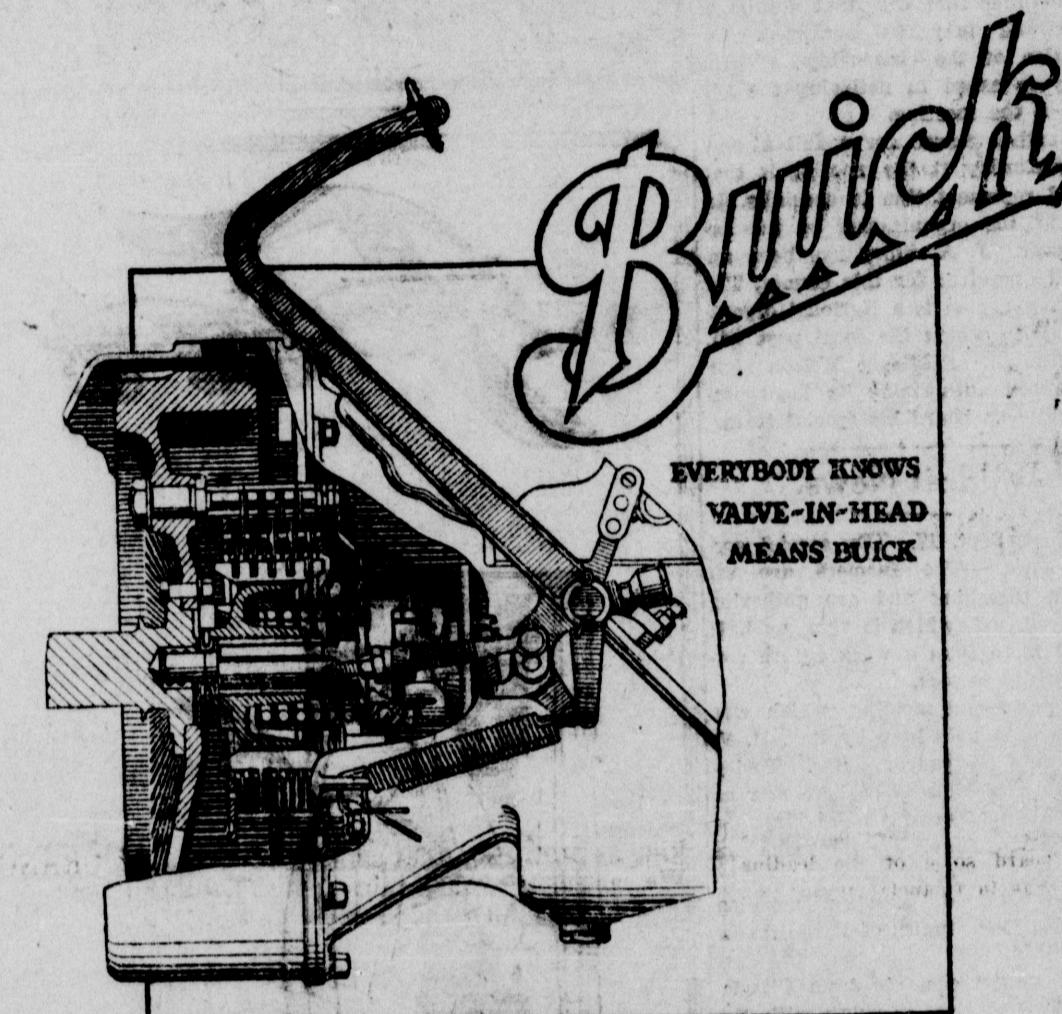
Haynes Cars

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Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stop hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful. 15-tp Fr.



The Buick Dry Plate Clutch

The exclusive patented features of the Buick disc clutch minimize the effort and skill necessary in gear shifting, and at the same time provide a clutch that is absolutely smooth and positive in operation. Under this patented construction, the heavy rotating parts of the clutch are carried by the flywheel and only the very light parts are carried by the transmission, which accounts for the transmission gears not spinning after clutch is disengaged, thus preventing the clashing of gears in shifting from one speed to another.

The slightest pressure of the foot will disengage this smooth acting Buick clutch, which makes it especially popular with women drivers and those who drive much in congested traffic.

When Better Automobiles Are Built BUICK Will Build Them

ROBINSON MOTOR COMPANY

PECK BLDG. NORTH MAIN ST. VERNON, TEXAS

Plant that dollar in the bank today

YOU can't expect a crop of money at the end of your earning season if you don't plant a few dollars in the bank NOW.

"LIFE is just a matter of farming—of finding fertile soil in a good field—of breaking ground and being patient. The harvesting comes last—the main work must be done while the least results are showing." —Herbert Kaufman.

THE FARMERS STATE BANK
VERNON, TEXAS

ME TO WED BUT LOOK GIRL'S PURSE

JOY RIDERS MAIN CAMPER'S MULE

FORD NEVER STOPPED AFTER HITTING ANIMAL NEAR OKLAUNION.

Sheriff W. A. Ish tells a story of romance that culminated several days ago in the arrest of the would-be groom on a charge of having absconded with his fiancee's purse.

The young man and the young lady he chose as his life's helpmate journeyed to Vernon from a county further to the west for the purpose of having the ceremony performed. They arrived in the city Monday afternoon, but the Romeo wished to defer the momentous step until the following day to give time for the arrival of his "Sunday-going-to-meeting" clothes from Wichita Falls. Like the Lochinvar that he was, the would-be benedict gallantly offered to stand sponsor for the safe keeping of the lady's purse during the night, which offer was graciously accepted.

With thoughts of a married life that would be "happy ever after" the bride-to-be departed for her room there to dream of her hero in a life and death struggle. If need be, to protect her property against burglars. The hero went to his room thoroughly convinced that he was getting a girl who would be entirely willing for him to manage the money of the family.

But oh, the awakening! Tuesday morning the man was not to be found. Nor was the purse forgotten. Officers were notified and the man was arrested in Frederick within a few hours.

Mr. Ish notified the officers in Oklahoma that if the money was returned the matter would be dropped. The purse contained about \$26.

OVER 5 MILLION DOLLAR BUSINESS ITS OPENING YEAR

Wichita Fall's biggest insurance institution, the Wichita Great Western Underwriters, announced Saturday their field of operations to take in several plans to extend their field of operations to take in several new states. The company which is made up of home capital and which has on its advisory board some of the leading men of Texas in financial circles, expects to bring into local bank deposits through their underwriters, hundreds of thousands of dollars in new capital during their new fiscal year.

The Wichita Great Western Underwriters started in business just a year ago and during the first twelve months, secured on their books more than five million dollars insurance, with three million dollars more in hand at the close of the twelve months period. The company writes fire insurance on the reciprocal plan, and were able at the end of the year to refund to their policy holders 52 per cent of the premiums paid. According to Mr. Mabry, who is one of the executive officers of the company, this remarkable result was obtained through the careful selection of preferred risks accepted.

The personnel of the institution is well known to the southwest as leading bankers and business men. John S. Mabry and R. E. Huff are managers and attorneys for the company. J. O. Powers is secretary-treasurer. The advisory board is composed of the following prominent Texans:

D. E. Waggoner, president Security National Bank, Dallas.

R. E. Huff, president First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. A. Kemp, president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. C. Hunt, wholesale grainery, Wichita Falls, Texas.

W. H. Fuqua, president First National Bank, Amarillo, Texas.

R. R. Darrah, manager Magnolia Petroleum Company, Fort Worth, Texas.

P. P. Langford, vice president City National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

C. W. Reid, president National Bank of Commerce, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Chas. C. Huff, general counsel M. K. & T. Railway Company, also general counsel Federal Reserve Bank, Dallas, Texas.

W. R. Ferguson, president Wichita State Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

J. B. Mayfield, president Mayfield Company, wholesale grocers, Tyler, Texas.

C. E. McCutchen, vice president First National Bank, Wichita Falls, Texas.

John S. Mabry, manager and attorney Wichita Great Western Underwriters, Wichita Falls, Texas.

70-3c

Will Haul Anything at Any Time.

I am now in position to haul anything and everything at any time.

Prompt attention given to all calls.

E. H. HEATH,

Phones: Day, 502; Night, 496.

80-3c

Doans News.

Doans, Sept. 16.—(By special correspondence.) J. S. Archer has the contract for cementing the spillway at the Spring Lake.

Miss Vivian Lacey of Tolbert is visiting at the home of N. A. Lipscomb. J. W. Cowan and family spent Sunday with C. E. Thompson of Odell.

Miss Lizzie Hamm is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Rena M. Watts of Vernon.

Herschel Thompson has returned from Claude.

J. W. Cowan and J. C. Wilson have gone to Dallas to get cotton pickers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ross and C. F. Doan spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ross of Odell.

L. L. Hamm and George Collier were in Oklaunion Sunday.

Miss Ruth Skipworth of Bridgeport is guest of Misses Lucille and Fannie Mae Bridges.

Miss Ida Belle Romtree spent Friday with Miss Ola Eatmon.

J. C. Collier has returned from a month's visit with his mother in Missouri.

T. J. Ammons and family spent Sunday with C. C. Ammons and family.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Harold Briscoe.

Walter Matheny is visiting relatives in Mountain Park, Okla.

ECZEMA!

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Eczeema Salve, is manufactured to stop and permanently cure that terrible itching. It is compounded for the purpose of giving relief to those who promptly refund without question. Hunt's Salve is manufactured by the Hunt Brothers, Tallow, Hair, Worm or any other skin disease. 100 oz. box.

For sale locally by BAKER BROS. DRUG COMPANY

Notice to Painters.

The Commissioners Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, will receive bids up to 10 o'clock a. m., October 1st, 1919, to paint the outside walls; also to paint and calcimine the inside walls of the courthouse, as per specifications on file in the office of the County Judge.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This September 15, 1919.

E. L. McHUGH,
70-2t Tues. County Judge.

Alleged Forger Arrested in Altus.

Sheriff W. A. Ish returned Tuesday from Altus, Okla., where he went to bring back Jim Hunter (colored) wanted on a charge of forgery. It is alleged that Hunter forged several checks on different business houses in Vernon Saturday. He was apprehended in Altus Monday.

J. M. Woods and daughter of Pensacola, Fla., are expected today to spend several days in Vernon visiting his brother, R. E. L. Woods. The brothers have not seen each other for seven years.

Kubo for your white shoes can't be beat. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-2tp

Bryant Instructor in Wichita Falls.

Burl Bryant and his mother, Mrs. Annie Adams, have moved to Wichita Falls, where the former has accepted a position as mathematics instructor in the city high schools. Mr. Bryant, who is a brother of County Sheriff L. L. Bryant, taught in the local schools several years ago. He attended Chicago University last summer.

Lease for Sale.

10 acres on Section 25, block 13, H. & T. C. Railway Survey; 10 acres in Subdivision 74, Waggoner Colony; 100 acres in section 74, block 12. I don't know what they are worth. If you do, make me an offer as I must sell them Address Box 585, Vernon, Texas, 70-4t.

J. M. Woods and daughter of Pensacola, Fla., are expected today to spend several days in Vernon visiting his brother, R. E. L. Woods. The brothers have not seen each other for seven years.

Miss Winnie Smith expects to leave without a fresh shine you can't be Sunday for Abilene, where she will be dressed up. Palm Shine Shop. 70-2tp tend Abilene Christian College.

Just received a car load of White flour. We are equipped to repair or replace Crest flour. Satisfaction guaranteed. Any part of your glasses in the shortest D. C. Matthews, West Texas street possible time. E. M. Leinwyler. Adv. 70-3t Adv.

VERNON ABSTRACT COMPANY

(Incorporated)

ANDREW J. BRITTON, Manager

We have enlarged our office, and increased our office force, and are now equipped to make you an abstract in the shortest possible time, to any tract of land or town lot in Wilbarger County, at customary prices.

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DIRECTORS:

Wylie Bennett, U. S. Davis, L. G. Hawkins, R. B. Sherrill and O. T. Warlick.

THE PROFIT IN SHOES

Who Makes It

?

The Retail Shoe Merchant Certainly Doesn't Make a BIG Profit

He actually is making a LESS profit at HIGH prices than when shoes sold at LOWER prices. Running the business costs more.

Here Are Some of the Reasons:

RENTS ARE HIGHER.

The retail merchant has to pay more for shoes at the prevailing wholesale prices.

WAGES ARE HIGHER

He has to invest MUCH more in stock to get proportionately smaller profits.

The Profits in the Retail Shoe Trade Are Less Than in Almost Any Other Line

The average dealer who shows a profit of nine per cent believes he is really lucky under present conditions. Any business man will tell you this is an UNUSUALLY low percentage for one who has to invest large sums to maintain the standards required in this particular line.

IS MANUFACTURER PROFITEER?

Hardly. He's no better off than the retailer. His advance in prices haven't kept pace with labor and raw material advances.

LEATHER TANNER A PROFITEER?

No! No more so than the retail merchant or the manufacturer. They can't sell at old prices when labor and materials keep going up.

HIGH PRICED HIDES ARE THE REAL REASONS FOR HIGH PRICED SHOES!

They've been going up in price, and as they climb, the costs are reflected all the way down the line to the man or woman who buys a pair of shoes. Hides are costly because their production cannot be determined by the law of SUPPLY and DEMAND. They are simply a BY-PRODUCT of the great packing industry.

THE STEER IS KILLED FOR BEEF—NOT TO GET ITS HIDE. THE CONSUMPTION OF BEEF HAS BEEN DECREASING STEADILY. THE USE OF HIDES HAS BEEN INCREASING STEADILY.

Here is a comparison of prices of steers, which has operated straight down the line to shoe costs:

	Prices Maximum Dec., 1918	Sales Prices July, 1919		Prices Maximum Dec., 1918	Sales Prices July, 1919
Spready native steers	\$.30	\$.52		Calrodo steers	\$.22
Heavy native steers	.29	.52		Heavy native cows	.27
Heavy Texas steers	.27	.46		Light native cows	.23
Light Texas steers	.26	.45		Branded bulls	.18 1-2
Butt branded steers	.27	.46		Chicago City calfskins	.40

Note the difference in SIX MONTHS! Compare the MEAT advances with the SHOE price advances.

Additional Shoe Truths will appear in this paper. Meantime—

THINK IT OVER!

DIXON DRY GOODS CO.

H. F. MCKIBBIN

RUSSELL'S.

PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE CO.

BRUNSON & WILLIAMS.

One Thing More

Most car owners know that this is the place to have their batteries tested with a hydrometer.

That it is the place to buy a Bone Dry Battery with Willard Threaded Rubber Insulation—which carries with it the evidence of battery newness.

That it is the place to come for battery charging, repair, and a rental battery.

But, one thing more—it is the place to come, just as soon as you buy your new car, to have your battery registered and get the benefit of Willard 90-day battery insurance.

Drive in, whether you have bought a new car or not. Perhaps we can give you some battery information that will mean longer life to your battery and fuller use of your car.

VERNON STORAGE BATTERY CO.

Willard Service Station

Will Haul Anything at Any Time.
I am now in position to haul anything and everything at any time.
Prompt attention given to all calls.
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LOCAL COMPRESS TO STORE COTTON

PUBLIC WEIGHER MOVES SCALES
TO WHERE STAPLE WILL BE
SHELTERED.

Public Weigher I. L. Bryant moved the public cotton scales to the Interstate Compress yesterday afternoon. For the rest of this season, at least all local cotton will be weighed there and stored under the shed of the compress.

Following negotiations that have been pending with the compress people for several weeks, an agreement has been reached whereby the matter of weighing and storing has been consolidated and the staple, after being weighed by the public weigher, will be stored with the compress. This arrangement was prompted by the demand for a public cotton warehouse in order that the waste and deterioration to staple experienced by farmers heretofore as a result of an unsheltered cotton yard may be eliminated.

"Owing to the reduction in the cotton acreage in this territory making it uncertain as to the volume of concentrated cotton we could expect to handle, coupled with the present high cost of operating compress machinery our Vernon press will not do any compressing this season," said Mr. Hodge "but in view of the apparent demand for a proper shelter for Vernon cotton all of our shed space will be available for local receipts."

Efforts will also be made this year to remedy the evil of excessive sampling and Mr. Hodge is of the opinion that with the co-operation of the farmers and the cotton buyers it will be possible to eliminate this wasteful practice altogether.

A charge of 25 cents a bale will be made for receiving, tagging, assembling into lots, marking and delivering to railroad. Free storage will be allowed for fifteen days, after which a charge of 1 cent a day will be made on each bale.

Rayland News.

Rayland, Sept. 17.—(By special correspondence.)—Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hix of North Carolina arrived Saturday afternoon to make this their home. Mr. Hix is a nephew of Mrs. R. P. Price. He visited in this community a few years ago and made many friends who will be glad to learn that he will make this his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Davis, of Talmage, have moved to Mrs. N. E. Jordan's place at Rayland.

Frank Edwards left Monday for a few days' visit with friends in Gainesville.

Mrs. G. L. Jones of Dallas is visiting relatives in this community.

Millard Dunson of Vernon is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Evans of Elmore City, Okla., is visiting Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin.

Mrs. John L. Remmels returned Monday from Andlibon, where she has been visiting relatives.

Little Miss Virginia German spent the weekend in Vernon with her aunt, Mrs. T. A. Beazley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young were business visitors in Vernon Monday.

A number of the Rayland young people spent Sunday with Miss Alma Schroeder of Thalia.

Harry White and Aden Cooper were transacting business in Vernon Monday.

Claude Gregg of Claude, Texas, is visiting his brother, Ralph Gregg.

Elbert and Louie Schoppa of the Lockett community attended preaching at the Christian Church Sunday night.

George Wells from Colorado is visiting at the home of J. E. Young this week.

Allen French is on the sick list this week.

The people are all busy getting feed cut and in the shock and their corn gathered. The cotton is opening very fast and will soon be ready to pick.

The gin is being repaired this week under the management of W. A. Walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, of Thalia, attended church at the Christian Church Tuesday night.

If you are not getting satisfactory results with your kodak, let us help you to make better pictures. No charge. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-tce

Gandy McGee, Adolphus Wright, Watford Thompson and Bob Bonar of Crowell were visitors in Vernon Tuesday.

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THE TEST OF MEN

Men in these days are tested through competitive examination and their bank accounts. Where is your Bank Account? Do you keep it in a Bank that takes a personal interest in its growth—in your success—does all that it can to help you? The First Guaranty State Bank is a Bank of Personal Service. It wants the account of men who seek such service.

The ability to earn money does not endure forever. Upon what will you fall back when that ability is gone?

First Guaranty State Bank

"The Bank of Personal Service."

Fargo News.

Fargo, Sept. 17.—(By special correspondence)—The farmers are busy heading maize and gathering corn.

Miss Leola Smith began her school at Wildcat Monday morning.

R. L. Rheay lost a fine hog from heat last week.

The young people enjoyed a singing at the home of R. E. Harrold last Sunday night.

Ethel Sweatmon visited Misses Irene and Lena Marlow, of the Wildcat community last week.

Mrs. J. H. Cato and children have returned from their visit to Mineral Wells.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at the Methodist Church Saturday, September 20. There will be preaching at 11 a. m. by Presiding Elder M. Phelan and conference in the afternoon.

A niece of W. H. Beavers is visiting here from Oklahoma.

Miss Florence May will leave Thursday for the State University at Austin.

The B. Y. P. U. will render a very interesting program Sunday evening at 4:30 o'clock. Every one is invited to attend.

Mrs. Wayne Adams is able to be up some, after several weeks illness.

Frank Mason, Fred Shearer, Orr Cato, Bob Suttle, D. W. May, Robert May and W. H. Olives were in Vernon on business this week.

There will be preaching at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night, by Elder M. Phelan. League in the evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Lamone Switzer is leader. A very interesting program is being planned.

A Stock of Good Mattresses.

Everywhere we are met with the cry of scarcity of mattresses and higher prices, but by diligent hunting we secured a splendid stock and the best part of this story is that we are underselling on these first class mattresses. Why can we undersell? Because of our cash buying and cash selling methods.

It's THE EVERY-THING STORE.

Mrs. Robert Jones will spend the weekend at Frederick visiting friends.

Lest you forget—we receive fresh vegetables daily. Bargdall & Stanley. Phone S2 and SS. 71-4tc.

Jo H. Trout will probably return tomorrow from Onley, where he has been visiting relatives for several days.

Bring us your butter and eggs. We will pay more than anybody else. Bargdall & Stanley. Phone S2 and SS. 71-4tc.

Keep Your Liver Active, Your System Purified and Free From Colds by Taking Calotabs, the Nausealless Calomel Tablets, that are Delightful, Safe and Sure.

Physicians and Druggists are advising their friends to keep their systems purified and their organs in perfect working order as a protection against the return of influenza. They know that a clogged up system and a lazy liver favor colds, influenza and serious complications.

To cut short a cold overnight and to prevent serious complications take one Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nauseating griping, no sickening after effects.

Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified and refreshed and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please—no danger.

Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Every druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not perfectly

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The Crescent Petroleum Co.

VERNON, TEXAS

Capital 100,000—Par Value 1.00—Non-Assessable.

Our derrick is up on the Star land in Section 7, Block 15, Wilbarger County, Texas. We will drill 2,500 feet unless oil or gas in paying quantities is found at a lesser depth.

We are offering 50,000 shares of stock for sale at \$1.00 per share. We are NOT like some, offering you a SURE THING, but we think we have a good chance for oil, and the drill is the only sure way of telling.

Our present location is within three hundred yards of where two 1280 foot wells were drilled several years ago on the Covert land. Oil was reported found in both wells.

All money received from the sale of stock is placed in The First Guaranty State Bank of Vernon to be used for development and expense of company.

Write or call C. W. HARVEY, Secretary, care of First Guaranty State Bank, or Vernon Hotel.

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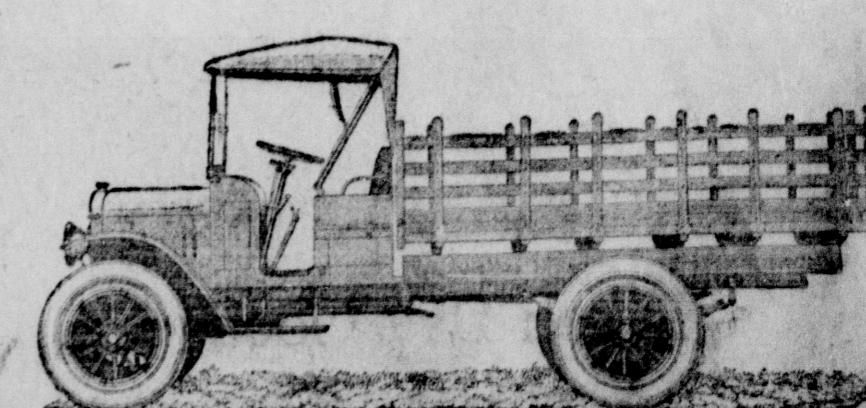
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Good four-room house in South-east Vernon lots 60x120.

160 acres good sand land farm in Collingsworth County, 8 miles from Wellington. \$35.00 per acre, \$1,000 trade, \$1,900 cash will handle the deal. Hog fence around the entire place, three-room house, good out-buildings, FINE WATER.

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New Real Estate Firm

We have opened up a real estate office in Vernon and are here to stay. For quick sales and honest, faithful service, list your property with us. We have a number of good propositions, especially in the way of farms, that might interest you. Come to see us.

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Official Felt Hat Time

The Straw Hat is slated for the shelf until next Spring.

Select your new felt from our stock of Stetsons, Trimble and Mallorys.

An ample range of styles and materials enables you to select a hat in exact accord with your ideas.

New Fall Suits
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Get yours, while stocks are complete.

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LOCAL OIL COMPANY CAPITAL IS DOUBLED

ORGANIZATION WITH 2,500 ACRES LOCATES DRILLING SITE IN HARDEMAN.

A re-organization of the Wilbarger County Oil Company has been effected whereby the capital stock was increased from \$90,000 to \$180,000. The company holds leases on 2,500 acres located in Wilbarger and Hardeman counties near Odell. W. O. Anderson is president; Luther Webb, vice president; L. G. Hawkins, treasurer; and A. C. Raines is secretary. W. O. Anderson, Luther Webb, L. G. Hawkins, J. S. Cook, J. E. Pitts, O. C. Frost, J. A. Cox, J. B. Morris and H. D. Tennyson are trustees.

The drilling site has been located on the B. C. Carter farm in Hardeman county. The contract to drill the test has been let to J. E. Pitts and O. C. Frost of Wichita county. Messrs. Pitts and Frost are oil operators of some twenty years' experience and are included among the promoters of the famous M. & P. Burk Company.

The derrick has been erected; rig irons are in place, and the drilling machinery was brought from Electra to the location Tuesday and Wednesday. The test will be spudded in within a few days, it is announced.

The sale of the stock is progressing rapidly. Mr. Raines advises,

Car Sales Continue Brisk.

Local dealers report that the demand for cars in Wilbarger continues to exceed the supply. Shipment of the machines from the factories is slow and in many cases orders are filed for several weeks before the car arrives. Napier Bros. Ford & Motor Agency reports the sale of a Ford to C. R. Thomas, a touring car to T. J. Watson, and a truck to Walter Southall. The Vernon Hardware & Implement Company sold Oakland Sixes to S. S. Bell of Crowell and Frank Simpson. Chas. T. Wood and Mrs. G. E. Blackman have bought Columbia cars from the Smith Auto Sales Company.

We guarantee our new process shoe dye. Palm Shine Shop. Adv. 70-24p

Hospital Nurse Praised Tanlac

Gaines Eleven Pounds And Is Feeling Fine Since Taking Tanlac.

"Tanlac did so much for me that I feel it my duty to tell others about this medicine," said C. M. Rhamey, a professional nurse living at the Hotel George, on Sixth street, San Francisco, Calif., recently. Mr. Rhamey has been nursing patients in the hospitals for the past eight years.

"Last February," he continued, "owing to an accident in which my leg was broken I was confined to my bed for several weeks. I lost my appetite and could hardly eat anything to nourish me, consequently I lost weight. I took several different kinds of tonics, hoping they would help build me up but they did me no good.

"One morning I read a statement by a lady in Los Angeles who said she had gotten such wonderful benefits from taking Tanlac that I decided to try it myself. By the time I had finished half of my first bottle my appetite returned and I felt hungry for the first time in weeks. From then on I started right in to picking and my appetite got better and better and I slept better at night. I have already gained eleven pounds and am feeling just fine; even my doctor has remarked how much better I am looking. I would never allow my name to be used in connection with a medicine before, but I have had such excellent results from using Tanlac that I take great pleasure in recommending it to anyone needing a medicine to build up the system."

Tanlac is sold in Vernon by T. M. Ferguson Drug Company and leading druggists everywhere. Adv. 41

STOLEN AUTOMOBILE LOCATED.

Owner of Dodge Found After Wiring to Factory and Retail Dealer in Colorado.

Sheriff W. A. Ish is holding a Dodge car for its owner in Rocky Ford, Colo. The automobile was held up several days ago at Harrold on account of the suspicious actions of the driver who, however, escaped.

The car was brought to Vernon and Mr. Ish wired the identification numbers to the Dodge factory at Detroit, Mich., inquiring to what dealer this car was sold. He received the reply that the machine was sold to a dealer in Colorado and he immediately got in communication with this firm and learned that the machine had been sold to a party at Rocky Ford. A third message was sent to this party and he answered advising that the car be held, as it was stolen from him several days ago.

Mr. Ish reminds that this is but one instance of how the owner of a car has been traced down through the operation of the present automobile laws.

Remember.

If you want the best the market affords in the way of cutlery and everything in the way of hardware, queensware, enamelware and aluminum, see J. R. Rentro. 71-tfe

J. R. Jones' real estate office is on North Main street in Ferguson building. 42-tfe

Earl H. Wilson has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the office of the Interstate Compress.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-tfe

Misses Geraldine Parker and Dorothy Hicks expect to leave Sunday night for Nashville, Tenn., where they will enter Ward Belmont College.

There is such a thing as wearing glasses when you should not, and not wearing them when you should. It is a mistake to do either. Better consult us. E. M. Leutwyler. He

I have buyers for suburban city property. Vacant acreage property at right prices preferred. Either call phone No. 617 or call at my office, J. R. Jones, Agent, Ferguson building, North Main Street. 55-tfe

Plumber Thought He Needed New Pipes

"My stomach and intestines were always full of gas and I often had severe colic attacks. The pain and soreness caused me to think I needed a new set of pipes. Since taking Mayr's Wonderful Remedy all this has disappeared and my only trouble now is to make enough dough to buy all the food I'd like to eat." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

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Large Crisco	- - - -	\$ 2.35
Small Crisco	- - -	1.25
Comb Honey 10 lbs., South Texas,		2.50
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Sweet Corn No. 2, extra standard		.20
Kerosene, 5 gallons,	- - -	.65

WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES ON ALL CURED MEATS

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Our Rug stock is very complete; we have some very beautiful patterns, ranging in price from \$16.00 up as high as you wish to go.

Remember these goods were all bought some time past, so you will get the benefit of an early buy if you will come before they are all gone.

If you will just follow the crowd to Youngblood's store you will see who is selling the furniture in Vernon. Come early while you can get what you want at the price you wish to pay.

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EVERYTHING IN DRUGS

Maybe you have a special formula or remedy, a good old standard family compound which you would like to have prepared? Remember that we sell DRUGS, and in DRUGS we sell the best, and in selling you the best we save you the most money in that we give you the best medicinal results. Send us your DRUG orders. We want to fill your prescriptions.

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